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OVERTURNED VESSEL IN LAKE HURON IS STILL UNIDENTIFIED CREW BELIEVED TO BE DROWNED

Derelict Six Hundred Feet in Length Washed by High Waves; Captain of Search Tug Believes Second Vessel is Sunk Near Huron Disaster; Opinion Confirmed by Captain of Alpena Who Sights Sunken Lumber Carrier

Port Huron, Mich., Nov. 11.—When the tug Sarnia City returned this afternoon after an all-night watch over the big steel freighter which lies upside down in Lake Huron, she brought no additional information as to the identity of the unfortunate vessel. The name of the derelict is hidden beneath the water and the waves are still rolling high. She is a 600-foot ship, and it is estimated that she probably carried a crew of from 25 to 40.

The fact that the huge vessel is lying bottom up, eight miles out in the storm-swept lake, has convinced local mariners that the crew had practically no chance to escape.

Captain Reid of the tug returned more firm than ever in his belief that all of the members of the crew of the freighter must have been drowned.

Captain Plough, in charge of the local life-saving station, left here this morning with his crew for the scene of the wreck. Searching parties were also organized to patrol the shore in the search of wreckage.

Captain Reid also expressed the opinion that another vessel may be on the bottle of Lake Huron near where the overturned steamer was found.

A report just reached here that a seaman's book found on one of the bodies of the two sailors washed ashore at Port Franks, on the Calumet side to-day, was marked "The Jenks."

The M. J. Jenks, a steel steamer, was built in 1902. She had a 414-foot keel, 50-foot beam, 28-foot depth and a gross tonnage of 4,644.

United States life-savers returned this afternoon from the scene of the wreck of the overturned boat in Lake Huron, and reported that they were absolutely unable to definitely solve the mystery attached to the identity of the vessel. Several vessels have not reported since Sunday, and many unfounded rumors are current concerning the vessel's name.

Alpena, Mich., Nov. 11.—The captain of the steamer Alpena, after arriving here to-day, reported having sighted an unidentified lumber carrier sunken in Lake Huron. He said that only the bow of the boat and part of the cargo was visible.

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 11.—Lightship No. 82, carrying a crew of six persons and stationed in Lake Erie off Point Abine, fifteen miles west of this city, is reported lost by incoming vessel men, and is believed to have foundered during the recent storm.

Wreckage of the lightship floated into Buffalo harbor to-day, and was picked up on the beach.

This afternoon a life-boat from the lightship was found floating bottom up off the Buffalo breakwater. A broken oar was fast in its oarlock. A heavy overcoat and the cabin door of the vessel were washed ashore.

Calumet, Mich., Nov. 11.—The steamer L. C. Waldo, of the Robin Transportation Company, went to pieces last night on Gull Rock, Manitou Island. The crew was rescued by the Portage lake ship canal life-saving men, who arrived on a tug just in time to save the sailors, all of whom suffered terribly from exposure. The boat went ashore Saturday, but her identity was not learned until news of the life-savers exploit reached here to-day. The rescued men were brought to Houghton.

The Canadian steamer Turrett, of the Merchants' Mutual line of Ontario, Captain Paddington, is high on shore six miles east of Copper Harbor, Keweenaw Point. The crew of seventeen arrived at Copper Harbor at noon today, suffering terribly from frost-bitten feet and hunger. The boat went ashore Saturday and the men had no food since that time.

The Turrett was upbound light and was headed for Fort William, Ont., when the storm broke Saturday. All control of the vessel was lost and it drifted rapidly to the south shore and was dashed broadside on the rocky beach. The crew managed to leave the steamer this morning. They were guided to Copper Harbor by Indians.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 11.—The United States revenue cutter Tuscarora left Milwaukee early this morning for Gull Rock, Manitou island, where an unidentified steamer, evidently a large lake carrier, is going to pieces.

Duluth, Minn., Nov. 11.—The steamer Simon Langell, which was reported last night as possibly lost, has been tied up in this port since yesterday morning.

The steamer James E. Davidson, which was reported in trouble, passed the Soo this morning.

The steamer H. B. Hawgood, of Cleveland, is ashore near Port Huron, Lake Huron, according to definite information received late to-day by officials of the Tomlinson line. The messages received by the officials made no mention of the Hawgood turning turtle.

Port Arthur, Ont., Nov. 11.—The wireless station at 3.30 this afternoon received a report that wreckage of the steamer Waldo had been picked up at Keewena Point, on the south shore of Lake Superior. No word is sent as to what happened to the crew.

RESCUE PARTY GOES TO FIND MEN AT HOWE SOUND

Gale Which Broke Sunday Believed Reason Why Vancouver Men Have Not Returned.

Vancouver, Nov. 11.—Clinging to the theory that their friends are safe, a rescue party consisting of Arthur Sherman, D. Ritchie, D. A. Wylie and J. McGrath set out in the launch "Happy" this morning in the direction of Howe Sound to find J. Marsh, proprietor of the Astor hotel, who with a party consisting of W. Smith, Hugh Dallan, W. Thorpe, real estate men of this city and Fred Wyckoff, employed at the Ames Holden Shoe Company, and "Scotty" Young, a waiter, left for a Sunday's outing at McNab Creek last Saturday night.

The party was made up, and left the Astor hotel about 10 o'clock, where it proceeded to a boathouse, and embarked aboard the gasoline launch "Hunter." It was expected the party would return Sunday night, as business interests demanded their presence Monday morning.

The point of destination was about a three-hour run, and just about the time the party should have been within hailing distance a squall of cyclone fury broke forth from the direction of Squamish, lashing the waters of the Strait of Georgia, and tossing small boats about like corks.

The fury of the gale was attested by Mr. McGrath, who was in another launch at the time, and made a run for cover.

Mr. McGrath is heading the party to-day in the search, and is of the opinion that the "Hunter" with its party of six became disabled, and has drifted around some small island outside the view of passing vessels. The party was provisioned for only one day, and if still alive have suffered not only from cold, but from hunger.

FOUR AUTOMOBILES PILED ON GRANVILLE BRIDGE WITHOUT INJURY TO PASSENGERS

Vancouver, Nov. 11.—Four automobiles were piled up in a tremendous smash on the Granville Street bridge last night about 8 o'clock, involving many thousands of dollars' damage. In spite of the serious nature of the accident, fortunately no one was hurt with the exception of a few bruises. The accident occurred when the automobiles suddenly congested at the mouth of the iron skeleton structure over the main arch of the bridge. W. C. Fowler, Fifth avenue, West; Dr. McIrney, Edward Moore and another car were concerned in the smash, which disabled all the cars.

When Mr. Moore, who was driving from Fairview toward the city, reached the span, he is said to have hesitated for a moment and then ran through the span along the street car tracks. Mr. Fowler was driving from the city towards Fairview and he too hesitated and then drove along the tracks. The two cars met in head-on collision and auto Number 5230, following Mr. Fowler, piled on top of the two cars while Dr. McIrney, following No. 5230, had no time to stop and he, too, ran his car into the heap.

The street car service was delayed for some time while the wreckage was dragged aside.

Warning After Asquith's Speech
Arms Not Only Menace to Mexico

EMILIANO ZAPATA

Turbulent Rebel of Southern Mexico Who is Reported Ready to Surrender.

ELECTORAL TEST WAS HUERTA'S CHOICE FAILURE LEAVES BRITAIN AGAIN FREE

Westminster Gazette Points to Diplomatic Resources and Reminds Mexican Dictator of Benefits to Be Derived From Friendly Attitude on Part of Great Britain

London, Nov. 11.—A significant warning to President Huerta was issued to-day by the Westminster Gazette, the government newspaper. Commenting on Premier Asquith's Guild Hall speech in which he made it plain that no antagonism exists between Great Britain and the United States in regard to Mexico, the Gazette says:

"The idea that any valid election—in the sense in which democratic or constitutional countries understand the word—can be held in Mexico is probably a diplomatic fiction, but the electoral test was of General Huerta's own choosing, and it is well to keep him reminded that his failure to conform to its result leaves all governments free to reconsider their act of recognition.

"Briefly, the limits of British action are that the British government should not put itself in a position of making protests which in default of forcible action might be flouted and defied. But diplomacy has other resources than mere force and Provisional President Huerta may easily find that the attitude of this country is in a variety of ways a matter of great moment to him."

EMBARGO ON ARMS IS SUBJECT OF CABINET DISCUSSION HELD AT WASHINGTON

Washington, D. C., Nov. 11.—The cabinet met again to-day with all members present, except Secretary Wilson. The Mexican topic was foremost. The raising of the embargo on arms, which has been urged on the president and practically all the secretaries was discussed at length.

After a two-hour discussion, devoted principally to the Mexican situation, the cabinet meeting broke up, and, as on previous occasions, the members preserved absolute silence.

Indications were, however, that the American policy toward Mexico, which it is hoped the nations of the world would follow, is "hands off."

The general interpretation of the situation was that the United States, by giving foreign powers detailed information of its own determination to refuse to recognize the acts of the new Mexican congress had indicated a desire that the powers generally refrain from financial dealings with the Huerta government.

So far as could be learned, there has been no specific request from Washington for support by the powers, but there has been a plain intimation that the Washington government believes the collapse of the Huerta regime inevitable if foreign aid is withheld.

With the intention to regard as illegal any loans or concessions the new congress may undertake, there has been distinct intimation that a policy of acquiescence by foreign governments would be gratifying to Washington. Without financial aid and with his machinery of government pronounced illegal, officials here expect to see a state of affairs that may force Huerta to eliminate himself.

ZAPATA OFFERED SAFE CONDUCT TO CAPITAL

New Proposals For Peace Are Suggested in Negotiations With General Huerta.

Mexico City, Nov. 11.—Emiliano Zapata, the rebel whose operations have caused the government so much trouble in the southern states, is again on the point of surrendering, according to official information issued today.

An emissary from Zapata is said to have conferred with Provisional President Huerta, who offered the rebel a safe conduct to the federal capital, in order to conclude peace.

It is not generally expected that Zapata will accept the proposal. He has been periodically reported as suing for peace, but nothing has ever come of the negotiations.

The minister of finance to-day authorized the Mexican banks of issue to pay out silver coin at their discretion.

TAXATION JUDGMENT FROM PRIVY COUNCIL

Duty Not Payable on Estate of Canadians Situated in the United States.

London, Nov. 11.—An important judgment was delivered this afternoon by the Privy Council as to whether the Quebec succession duty act imposing a tax in respect of property situated outside the province of persons domiciled in the province at the time of their death was ultra vires. The estates in question were those of Charlotte L. Cotton and Henry K. Cotton, part of whose estates were situated in the United States. The Quebec government claimed duty on the whole estate, which the executors resisted. The Privy Council allowed the appeal of the executors, and the cross appeal failed, their Lordships finding that such taxation was not direct taxation, and was, therefore, ultra vires.

CHAMBERLAIN'S SILVER WEDDING ON SATURDAY

London, Nov. 11.—Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain will celebrate his silver wedding on Saturday. He first met Miss Mary Endicott, his third wife on a visit to Washington to receive acknowledgement of his success in dealing with the dispute between Great Britain and the United States regarding fishing off the Canadian and Newfoundland coasts, in 1887.

ROBS MAIL SACKS AND STARTS FOR BORDER LINE

Ten Thousand Dollars in Money and Jewels Taken by Mail Wagon Driver.

Chicago, Nov. 11.—Theft of money and jewelry valued at $10,000 from a mail sack was disclosed by James Stuart, post office inspector here today. The crime is alleged by Col. Stuart to have been committed by Albert Tardy, a mail wagon driver.

The theft occurred yesterday. Tardy collected five mail sacks containing registered packages at the South Water street, Masonic Temple and stock exchange sub-stations.

Suspicion was aroused when the wagon, containing four of the sacks was found abandoned at the Union station. These sacks contained $4,000 in money and gems which had not been disturbed.

Tardy's wife was found to-day with some difficulty as Tardy had given his address at a number which proved to be a vacant lot. She said that Tardy visited her for a few moments last night, told her that he had stolen $10,000 from a mail sack and would write to her as soon as he had escaped across the border.

OREGON PROHIBITION CAMPAIGN IS STARTED

Portland, Ore., Nov. 11.—The first organization to work for state-wide prohibition in Oregon in 1914, has been perfected for Douglas county. A complete set of officers was chosen for the campaign at a meeting of the advocates of prohibition in Roseberg yesterday. W. L. Cobb was elected president of the organization and B. L. Eddya, former registrar of the United States land office and for years a Republican leader in the Oregon legislature, is chairman of the publicity committee.

MILITANTS BREAK OUT WITH FIRE AND BOMB

London, Nov. 11.—Militant suffragette arson squads and bomb-throwers were at work in several parts of the British Isles early to-day.

The Cactus house at Alexandra Park, Manchester, containing a collection valued at $50,000, was wrecked by a bomb.

Begbrook, a fine mansion near Bristol, was badly damaged by fire. The bowling and tennis clubhouse at Catford, southeast of London, was burned down.

SOUTH LANARK SPLIT REMAINS UNSETTLED

Liberal Press Ceases Support of Col. Balderson, the Independent Conservative.

Ottawa, Nov. 10.—A dispatch to the Evening Journal from Perth says: "There seems to be no likelihood of the difficulty in the Conservative camps in South Lanark being straightened out, for Colonel Balderson, who has entered the field as an Independent Conservative, has reiterated his determination to stay in. He has, however, announced his willingness to abide by the decision of another convention if properly called.

"It will be remembered he made complaints regarding the former convention. He also states he will retire if a Liberal, supported by the County Lanark Liberal Association, is put up. Both sides are working hard, and it is difficult to say how the Conservative vote will go if an election comes on with both Conservatives running.

"The Liberal papers in the constituency gave Col. Balderson their support until two weeks ago, since then they have been silent. This is taken by some to presage the running of a Liberal candidate.

CHINESE PARLIAMENT ABOUT TO DISAPPEAR

Peking, Nov. 11.—The disappearance of the Chinese parliament and the substitution for it of a central administrative congress giving the government entire control over all matters of importance is predicted to-day by native newspapers in touch with the administration. The proposed administrative congress is to consist of two representatives from each province, four cabinet ministers, a representative from each ministry and eight members of the presidential secretariat.

NEW LEGISLATION OF QUEBEC PARLIAMENT

Quebec, Q., Nov. 11.—The appointment of a minister of roads, revision of the municipal code, amendments to the license law, legislation in the inspection of hotels, building of sanitary dwellings for working men, and of industrial schools were forecasted in the address from the Throne at the opening of the provincial legislature this afternoon.

Sir Francois Langelier expressed gratification at the recovery of the Duchess of Connaught, and referred to the return of the Governor-General to Canada.

CLEVELAND PARALYZED AND BESET BY FAMINE

Property Loss From Forty-Eight Hours Storm Is $2,000,000—Dead Lie Unburied—General Provision Trade at Standstill—Fear of Fire Faces Authorities

Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 11.—Cleveland is buried under twenty-one inches of snow, its streets are filled with a tangled mass of broken and twisted wires and thousands of inhabitants are in imminent danger of suffering for lack of food. Three persons have been killed, ten are missing, and are believed to have been frozen to death. The steamship J. G. Garmer, is stranded on the beach. Captain Burns, of Buffalo, and twenty-two sailors are in danger of death at any moment because of the mountainous seas rolling in from Lake Erie. Lifesavers are standing by helpless to aid.

It is still snowing, and unless the storm, which has continued since last Sunday soon abates, no one can tell what the ultimate toll in lives and dollars may be.

The loss is already estimated at $2,000,000, half of which will fall on the telephone and telegraph companies. Normal conditions cannot be restored within a week, and if a thaw should come, followed by the inevitable flood, the whole lake country will suffer severely. Conditions have been growing worse since Monday night, when half of the city was plunged into darkness, the lighting plant being blown down by the gale. This morning at least one-half of the street car service is out of commission, and no less than 300 trolley and telephone and telegraph poles within the city limits had been blown down.

So complete was the paralysis of transportation it was deemed best to let the dead lie in the places where they had died, and no funerals will be held until the storm has abated.

There has been no delivery of groceries, bread, milk or coal since Saturday, and the suffering in consequence cannot be definitely learned, but it is widespread. One of the greatest fears is from fire. Already one fire has done $100,000 damage, and the difficulty encountered in subduing it was such as to cause the authorities the greatest apprehension should another fire break out.

All the schools of the city are closed. The danger attendant on the passing of children through the streets, and the unusual conditions surrounding them in the schoolhouses, many of which have been thrown open to the homeless, prompted the authorities to suspend classes until the blizzard abates.

The food shortage felt Monday afternoon became more pronounced and threatening this morning. There is no milk to be had at any price, except it be obtained in the name of suffering babies, and other foodstuffs are rapidly going to be at a premium where it is possible to find them at all.

Many families were caught with little more than the food supply to carry them over Sunday, and since there have been no shipments received since Saturday the supply is rapidly being exhausted.

The hotels present a scene of unusual activity. Many persons driven into the city by the storm have taken shelter where they could find it. Beds were not to be had for all of them, and many are sleeping on the floors without cot or covering except such clothing as they happen to have on them. The food supply in the hotels and restaurants is also a problem.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 11.—Although western Pennsylvania, eastern Ohio and northern West Virginia were buried this morning under a foot or more of snow, conditions were rapidly improving. Telephone and telegraph companies made progress during the night in restoring communication, and railroads had dug out trains that had been buried for hours in the largest drifts known in this section for years.

One train arrived here from Cleveland early to-day after having been on the way a little more than thirty hours. The hope was held yesterday that if the elements did not interfere during the day, service in this section would be as usual to-night.

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE IS CALLED ON BY DAIRYMEN TO PROVE TUBERCULIN TESTS

Vancouver, Nov. 11.—Hon. Price Ellison, minister of agriculture, Deputy Minister Scott and the veterinarians employed by the government in enforcing the compulsory tuberculin test will, according to plans of the Lower Mainland Cream & Milk Shippers' Association be arraigned before a mass meeting of dairy farmers at New Westminster next Friday. The association, the membership of which includes practically all the dairymen of the Fraser Valley, has requested the government officials to appear before the meeting and prove their case.

The tuberculin test, the operation of which threatens to ruin many valley dairymen, will be on trial, and if its efficiency is not proved to the ranchers' satisfaction, they will combine and refuse to submit to it.

Feeling among the dairymen runs high. It is a matter of common knowledge in the dairying districts that many owners have refused to kill condemned animals. In Richmond two herds are still on the hoof which, if the inspectors' directions were carried out, would now be practically annihilated, ruining their owners, who have spent many years in building them up. So dissatisfied are the Richmond farmers with the inspectors' work with these herds that they will make an effort to have Hon. Price Ellison look over them before he addresses the dairymen at New Westminster.

FEARING NEW DISASTER NOME BANISHES FLAMES

Storm and Fire in Northern Town Conquered Sunday by Desperate Residents.

Nome, Alaska, Nov. 11.—Another storm threatened Nome Sunday night when a southeast gale which had sprung up directly after the Victoria had sailed for the south on the 6th, hurled the surf up against the buildings and brought a wind which reached a velocity of 50 miles an hour. Later the wind veered and the surf subsided just in time to avoid damage inland, as the beach had been cleared of debris, which with the sand in some places reached a height of 20 feet, forming a breakwater in this storm.

The citizens passed a sleepless night, fearing a sudden change for the worse, when a catastrophe was precipitated by an outbreak of fire in the Headquarters saloon and lodging house, of which Arthur Roberts is proprietor, and the reconstruction of which had just been completed after the recent disaster.

The fierceness of the wind threatened the entire city with destruction, and only the heroic work of the department and hundreds of citizens was successful in confining the flames to the one building. Their labors were assisted by the fact that the roof of the building was of metal.

THEATRICAL LAW SUIT.

New York, Nov. 11. — The United Booking Office of America, promoters of theatrical enterprises, are made defendants in a Sherman law anti-trust suit for $3,000,000 damages, filed today in the federal court by H. B. Marinelli, Ltd., of New York, London and Paris.

SIX CONFESS MURDER OF FOUR ON SATURDAY

Strike Troubles in Colorado Continue and Strict Military Rule Threatened.

Trinidad, Colo., Nov. 11. — Six more members of the party of strikers accused of the murder of four members of an automobile party en route from LaVeta to Oakview Saturday afternoon have made detailed confessions, according to reports received to-day by Adjutant-General John Chase from Major Townsend at Walsenburg.

Charles Sheppard, a striker implicated by the five prisoners who confessed yesterday, was arrested at LaVeta and brought to Walsenburg early to-day. Soon after his arrival Sheppard admitted his complicity in the shooting, according to the militia authorities, and told a story similar to the accounts related by the other five.

General Chase this morning received a report that shots were fired into Delagua last night from the hills. The military guard at once set out in an effort to capture the attackers, but they escaped.

The adjutant-general this morning reiterated his statement of last night that any interference with the programme by civil authorities would result in the imprisonment of the officers responsible and the establishment of strict military rule.

PACKER LEAVES $20,000,000.

Chicago, Nov. 11.—An estate of $20,000,000 was left by the late packer, Edward Morris, according to his will filed in the Probate Court here to-day.

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REPORT EXAGGERATED IS EMPLOYERS' VIEW

Men and Contractors' Statements in Pacific Great Eastern Labor Dispute

Vancouver, Nov. 11.—Discussing the purported big strike of railway laborers on the Pacific Great Eastern Railway construction between Lillooet and Newport, E. M. White, manager for P. Welch, contractor for the work, this morning insisted that the extent of the labor dispute had been grossly exaggerated by the leaders of the I. W. W., who claim to have engineered the strike.

"We are not experiencing any trouble," he observed. "It has really not been perceptible so far. We have men constantly coming and going in the ordinary way and we are finding no difficulty in getting plenty of labor for our work. Reports from our representatives along the line indicate that already some of the laborers who quit late last week are returning to their jobs. We are not worrying."

On the other hand local members of the I. W. W. claim that the strike is extending and that close on 2,000 men have now left the P. G. E. construction camps. A mass meeting of the malcontents was held in the I. W. W. headquarters on Cordova street yesterday afternoon when it was stated that the men avowed their intention of adhering to their demands for an eight-hour day, with payment at the rate of $4, and the release of the miners imprisoned in connection with the labor troubles on Vancouver Island.

So far as can be learned from other sources the agitators have not succeeded in extending the strike into other sections of the province where railway construction is being carried on.

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OVERTURNED STEAMER SEEN ON LAKE HURON

Eleven Ships on Great Lakes Meet Damage in Great Storm

Chicago, Nov. 11.—Following is the reported storm toll on the Great Lakes:

Steamer Huronic ashore in Whitefish Bay.

Unknown steel freighter floating upturned in Lake Huron.

Steamer ashore on Gull Rock, Manitou Island.

Mutual Line steamer Arcadian aground in Thunder Bay.

James E. Davidson sunk off Grosse Cape, Lake Superior.

H. H. Hawgood ashore at mouth of St. Clair river.

Steamer ashore at Point Iroquois.

Two steamers reported ashore off Isle Royale and Coppe Harbor.

L. C. Waldo wrecked near Big Bay, Lake Superior.

Eleven steamships plying the Great Lakes, caught in the grip of the terrific gales which have swept the lakes for the last three days, have been smashed ashore, sunk or capsized. This is the known toll of the storm, which may be swollen as coming days bring to port others of the many ships which are still missing. How great the toll of the dead is cannot be estimated, but that many sailors have lost their lives is undoubted.

The great loss of ships' crews will probably be brought to light when the identity of a 400-foot steel freighter, which is floating keel up in Lake Huron, is ascertained. This huge derelict has been sighted by several vessels, none of which were able to solve her identity. It is reported that her crew probably abandoned her in the storm, but it is feared that small life-boats such as a freighter of this type would carry could not weather the gale which cast ashore like playthings huge freighters of steel. A boat of this size would need a crew of thirty at least.

Of the wrecked craft, the crew of the Tomlinson Line freighter James E. Davidson, ashore off Grosse Cape Point, is still aboard, while the decks are awash to the seas. An unknown steamer on Gull Rock, off Manitou Island, is still in great peril, a crew of twenty-eight men aboard. Life-savers leave Eagle Harbor to-morrow to attempt a rescue.

The Northern Navigation Company's Huronic, which went ashore in Whitefish Bay, is believed to be in no danger, having grounded on a sandy bottom. She was returning to the head of the lakes, and had no local passengers aboard. The report of the wrecking of two ships off Isle Royale and Copper Harbor is denied from Fort William on the ground that no boats are expected at the lake head, the Harmonic and Assiniboine having arrived safely.

NORTH VANCOUVER ALDERMEN RE-ELECTED

North Vancouver, Nov. 11.—The re-election of the six aldermen proved to be a mere matter of form yesterday when at the hour of closing the nominations Returning Officer J. F. Collins had only six nominations in, and he forthwith declared Jesse Williams, F. Wheeler, J. H. Pilling, George W. Vance, T. A. Allan and T. L. Kennedy to be elected aldermen of this city by acclamation.

SASKATOON FAMILY TO RESIDE IN VICTORIA

Saskatoon, Nov. 11.—Geo. F. Bolingbrooke having been with the city since January, 1910, in various capacities, and for the last year as head of the electric light and power collecting department, has resigned. He is going to Victoria, B. C., where his wife and daughter have been residing for some time owing to the ill-health of the latter.

WOMAN'S HAIR REACHES TO KNEES

A Year Ago Was Threatened With Baldness. Tells How She Made Her Hair Grow.

Mrs. Esther Emery, now visiting friends in the city, is the fortunate possessor of marvellously beautiful hair, which, when loosened from its coils, falls to her knees. Moreover it is of soft, silky and fluffy texture and in color a glorious glossy gold. Yet just one year ago she was threatened with baldness. Urged to tell how she had obtained this wonderful growth in so short a time, she said: "Had anyone told me such marvellous results could be accomplished so quickly, I positively would not have believed it. Twelve months ago my hair, which then reached barely to my shoulders, was falling out at an alarming rate and growing very thin, actually exposing the bald scalp in several spots. It was dull and lifeless in color, turning grey in patches, and very dry and brittle. My head was covered with dandruff and itched like mad all the time. I tried fully a dozen different hair tonics, but they were all the same and never did me a bit of good. One day I chanced to read in my home paper of a simple home prescription to make the hair grow that was recommended by a well known physician. It said that by taking ordinary Lavona de Composee and mixing with Bay Rum and Menthol Crystals and applying to the scalp each night with the finger tips that new hair would grow very rapidly. I decided to try it and I had my druggist mix 2 oz. of the Lavona de Composee with 6 oz. of Bay Rum and ½ drachm of Menthol Crystals, and started to use it. My, how quickly my hair did grow. First, the hair stopped falling, the itching ceased and the dandruff disappeared. Then tiny little hairs appeared all over my scalp. These grew and grew as though nothing would ever stop them. They are growing yet, and while, of course, I have used the treatment steadily and expect to continue it, at least until my hair reaches the floor, I might have stopped and been perfectly satisfied at the end of three months. I think that any woman can get long, thick, beautiful hair by using this prescription as I have recommended it to several friends and all are delighted with the result. The prescription is very inexpensive and any druggist can fill it.

SASKATCHEWAN DEBATE ON SPEECH IS SHORT

Two Hours Only Occupied by Speakers on Both Sides of Parliament

Regina, Sask., Nov. 11.—Probably the shortest debate on record on the speech from the throne in the Saskatchewan legislature was concluded yesterday afternoon after a little more than two hours' speaking. W. G. Robinson, the member from Francis, moved the address in reply. It was seconded by J. P. Lyle, of Lloydminster, and in the debate which followed the only other members who spoke were Premier Scott and the leader of the opposition, Hon. W. B. Willoughby.

One of the features of the afternoon session was the long list of questions asked by Mr. Willoughby in conection with the works of the bureau of public health and the commissioner, Dr. Seymour. A typewritten list containing sixty-four different queries was presented.

The different points touched upon in the address from the throne and a general resume of the work and progress for the past year were contained in the speech of Mr. Robinson. That the lot of the farmer on the prairies was not as prosperous as it should be owing to insufficient market for the grain, was one of the strongest statements in the address.

He made a strong plea for the abolition of all licenses and more especially those in connection with hotels.

The seconder reiterated many of the statements that had been expressed, and referred particularly to the great future of ranching and mixed farming in the province.

Mr. Willoughby, speaking on behalf of the opposition, criticized the expenditure of the large amount of public money in connection with the investigation of the agricultural credit commission in the trip to Europe. Mr. Willoughby spoke briefly of the result of the recent inter-provincial conference in Ottawa.

In replying to the criticism of the opposition leader, Premier Scott confined most of his remarks to the conference at Ottawa, calling attention to the efforts of the various premiers to have the subsidies of the province increased and to the effort to regain control of the public resources.

SUSPENSIONS ORDERED IN MARCONI SCANDAL

Three Members of Brokerage Firm Dealt With by Stock Exchange Committee.

London, Nov. 11.—The committee of the London stock-exchange which has been considering the scandal in American Marconi shares to-day suspended for five years the three senior partners of the stock brokerage firm of Heybourn & Croft. The committee found that the firm adopted improper methods in placing the shares on the market.

Heybourn visited the United States in company with Godfrey C. Isaacs, managing director of the Marconi Wireless Company, and brother of Sir Rufus Isaacs, new lord chief justice. This visit occurred just when the deal between the American and British Marconi companies was consummated.

The report of the committee of the stock exchange was posted this morning. It acquits the other brokers connected with the deal, including Grenfell & Company, brokers of the American Marconi Company, and expresses the belief that they acted in good faith.

NO KICK COMING FOR COLBY FARMER'S MARE

Intoxicant Spilled in Feed Box Went Direct to Molly's Heels.

Bremerton, Wash., Nov. 11.—William Braken, a Colby farmer, placed a quart of alcohol intended for horse liniment above a feed box in his barn. Shortly after midnight Mr Braken heard a commotion indicating that somebody was taking the barn apart. When he peered into the stall and gently inquired "What's the matter, Mollie?" that spirited animal kicked him.

Mr. Braken returned with a scantling and slipped into the stall. The first kick missed Mr. Braken's head, but knocked the scantling out of his hands. Then Mollie kicked him behind the door and kicked the door on top of him.

When Mrs. Braken arrived and removed the door Mr. Braken announced that he would call the battle a draw for the night.

In the morning it was learned that Mollie's indiscretion was due to the spilling of the alcohol in the feed box. Aside from exhibiting some eagerness to get to the pump, Mollie's "morning after" was uneventful.

BELLINGHAM PEOPLE ASK NIGHT ESCORTS

Bellingham, Wash., Nov. 11.—Bellingham seems to be enjoying the same distinction that is Seattle's at this time—an influx of "stick-up" men. Several bold holdups have been reported in the last week, and it has gone to such an extent that persons compelled to be out at unusual hours are calling on the police for escorts. A clergyman set the pace in this regard when he asked for a bodyguard to take him to the Great Northern station yesterday morning. No captures are credited to the police yet.

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BRITAIN'S PREMIER AT GUIDHALL IS HEARD ON BALKAN AND MEXICAN STRIFE

No Part of Empire to Interfere in Dissention of South American States or Mexico Except as Protection of Our Own People

London, Nov. 11.—The Guildhall banquet last night was attended by the usual brilliant company, which included cabinet ministers, members of the diplomatic corps and peers of the realm, the Archbishop of Canterbury, Sir Rufus Isaacs, Lord Chief Justice, naval and military officers and many persons prominent in civic and political sphere.

Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill, replying to the toast of the "Imperial Forces," said that next year Great Britain would have a force of 150,000 sailors and marines, the largest on record. He emphasized the part played by the citizens of London in the navy, and proceeded to say that the distinguished gathering had met under circumstances more free from danger to the peace of Europe than for many years. But, he added, there must be no relaxation of effort. The estimates for 1914 would show a substantial increase and he declared that even in the region of the air the British navy need not fear comparison with that of any other country.

General French expressed satisfaction at the presence of so many officers of the dominions at the autumn manoeuvres. This, he said, attested to the growth in efficiency and strength of the overseas portion of the Imperial army.

The Balkan Conflict.

The Rt. Hon. Herbert H. Asquith, prime minister, was heartily cheered as he rose to reply to the toast of "His Majesty's Ministers." He said that a year ago they were witnessing the conflict between Turkey and the Balkan states, a conflict which was no sooner ended than it was followed by an outbreak of hostilities between the allies. The clash of arms had now happily ceased, but thousands of lives had been sacrificed, millions of treasure spent, vast tracts of territory devastated, and above all the inevitable horrors of war, things had been done and suggested, which shocked and repelled the whole civilized world.

It was too soon, he said, to draw up a debtor and creditor account and say whether there had been or would be a balance gained or lost. Heavy indeed, was the responsibility that lay on the shoulders directly concerned for the future of the populations for whose interests, under the new distribution of power in the Balkans, they severally become trustees. It was an easy task to blame Europe; but although they had shown impotence to prevent or curtail the lamentable effusion of blood, yet to anyone who remembered the history of the Eastern question, it should rather be a matter both of surprise and satisfaction that the area of conflict had been circumscribed. Mr. Asquith emphasized the fact that for a generation past it has been the one main pre-occupation of European diplomacy to prevent the reopening of that question, in the belief that it could not be revived without the certainty of open dissension and grave risk of possible war between the powers themselves.

Moments Were Grave.

The one feature of the international history of the past that it was possible to look back on with unqualified admiration, he said, was that those apprehensions had been completely falsified. It was true that even they revolved themselves in a fashion that seemed to menace indirectly the susceptibilities of certain powers. There had been moments of grave anxiety, but by the exercise of patience and tact, of self-restraint in some quarters, and of strenuous goodwill in others, those difficulties had been overcome, and they in London might recall with pride that the united voice of Europe ascribed the leading part in that arduous and beneficial task to Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign minister. (Cheers.)

The foreign offices of Europe, added the premier, had plenty of business still before them in connection with Albania and the Balkans. It would be too much to say that they are satisfied with such a settlement as has been made, but are at least resigned to it.

Another cause for satisfaction was that the Asiastic provinces of Turkey had not been involved in the conflict. (Applause.) It was the government's desire that the integrity of these dominions should not be infringed upon. In them were holy places of the Mohammedan religion held sacred by the whole of the Mussulmans, many millions of whom were loyal and devoted subjects of the British crown. (Cheers.)

Help From Britain.

Great Britain would offer any help which the Turkish government might invite, without forgetting that there were other powers who had special concern in their well-being and development.

There were other parts of the world, Mr. Asquith continued, confronted by special perplexities and dangers. This has been the most critical year in the history of China. The Chinese republic has now taken its place among the nations of the world; and in common with other nations, Great Britain has recognized it. It would be an impertinence to comment at this moment upon its internal affairs. But through Great Britain's relations in the past and the vast interests of the trade which were bound up in its future development, the governments were only anxious to see the authority of a stable, central government accepted by its provinces and made effective throughout the whole of China.

Refers to Mexico.

Mexico, said the prime minister, was still in the throes of civil war. There never had been and could not be any question of political intervention on the part of Great Britain into the domestic relations of Mexico or any central or south American state. It was no part of Britains right or duty, in that part of the world at any rate, to prevent revolutions or to attempt to preclude or control civil wars. The utmost that Great Britain could do was to give what protection might be possible to British lives and property in times of urgent danger and crisis.

The rumor found credence in some quarters, he added, that at a moment when the United States was taking a line of their own in regard to the Mexican situation Great Britain had entered a new departure of policy deliberately opposed to the United States and calculated to thwart it. There was not a vestige of foundation for any such rumor. It was the 31st of March before the present administration of the United States had an opportunity of making declaration of policy. When the British government recognized Huerta as provisional president of Mexico ad interim it did so because it was bound to deal with whatever was for the time being the de facto government, and because there appeared no element except Huerta that offered any prospect of the restoration of stability and order. That was on the 31st of March. Since that time there had been no change of policy by the British government. Great Britain gladly assumes that the policy of the United States would have regard to the legitimate commercial interests of Mexico as well as their own. The exchange of views with the United States had been marked by perfect cordiality. Nothing could happen to disturb their common resolve to maintain a friendly and sympathetic understanding. None had done more to foster this spirit than Mr. Bryce. (Cheers.)

Trade and Reform.

Mr. Asquith concluded that there were signs on the horizon portending an inevitable slackening in the volume and velocity of the tide of trade. There had been initiation almost everywhere of costly schemes of social reform, and in addition to the waste of wealth and human material in actual warfare, there had been an unprecedented addition both to land and sea of the apparatus of organized destruction. All that imposed a dangerous strain on the taxation and credit of the nation, which must react on the springs of industry and on general progress and material well-being. Was it not time for statesmen and every man of business to take counsel together to secure a more sane and more fruitful appropriation of the common resources of mankind? (Cheers.)

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RACING AGAINST SNOW ON KASLO AND SLOCAN

Kaslo, B. C., Nov. 11.—The completion of the work of standardizing the Kaslo and Slocan by the Canadian Pacific has now developed, as far as track-laying is concerned, into a race of the steel crew against the snow.

By the end of this week it is expected that steel will be down to a point this side of 12-Mile, and if the weather clerk is on his good behaviour next week a standard-gauge track should be close to South Fork by the end of the month.

Heavy snow at the upper end at the present time will not interfere so seriously with actual track-laying operations as with the distribution of ties. An immense quantity of these are piled at Whitewater, from where they must be moved on standard-gauge cars to the end of standard-gauge steel, thence transferred to narrow-gauge cars and sent down for distribution along the old line.

ALLIANCE STILL STANDS.

London, Nov. 11.—The British foreign office yesterday authorized the statement that there is not a shadow of truth in the report declaring the Japanese government had been in communication with the British government with a view to the abrogation of the Anglo-Japanese alliance.

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FUR THIEVES FOUND BENEATH BEAR SKIN

Seattle, Nov. 11.—Edward Murray, 23, and Roy Weller, 19, both natives of Seattle, entered the Hudson Bay Fur Company through a second-story window from the fire escape early this morning and had collected a pile of the costliest furs, estimated value $10,000, and had them packed ready to be taken away, when Patrolman G. A. Storaasli heard the crash of glass. He immediately summoned the patrol wagon, and after a lengthy search the young intruders were found hiding under a bearskin. They were conveyed to the city jail.

The establishment of M. Furuya, Japanese importer, was entered by burglars this morning, who were scared off by the timely arrival of the night-watchman.

THREE MEN BURNED IN RAILWAY WRECK

London, Ont., Nov. 11.—Conductor Moffatt and Brakemen Halloran and Stapleton, all of London, were killed in a rear-end collision of Grand Trunk Railway freights at Wanstead, Ont., yesterday. The bodies were consumed by fire, which destroyed the wreckage. Several others are reported injured and will be brought to this city.

WESTMINSTER CROSSES BORDER TO GET COAL

New Westminster, Nov. 11.—During the past five weeks something in the neighborhood of 3,000 tons of coal have been brought into the city from the other side of the line. During the same period of time last year there was not any fuel brought in from the American side, all of it being secured from Vancouver Island, but the trouble with the miners on the Island this year has forced local dealers to get all of their supply from Seattle and Tacoma.

DIVIDENDS DECLARED BY CANADIAN PACIFIC

Montreal, Nov. 11.—At a meeting of the directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company held to-day a dividend of 2½ per cent. on the common stock for the quarter ended September 30 last, being at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum from revenue and 3 per cent. per annum from interests on the proceeds of land sales and from other extraneous assets, were declared payable January 2 next to shareholders of record at 3 p. m. on December 1 next.

LONG SENTENCE SET ASIDE.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 11. — The 280-year prison sentence imposed on C. M. Summers, president of the First National Bank of Juneau, Alaska, for misapplication of funds was set aside by the Supreme Court to-day.

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NO COMMISSIONERS BY INJUNCTION.

One does not need to be learned in the law to appreciate the effect of Mr. Justice Murphy's decision respecting the status of the water commissioner in the matter of the Sooke lake contract. Or, perhaps, we should say the effect would be more readily appreciated had the decision been reversed and the water commissioner been declared, respecting the contract in question, independent of the council. Municipal government may be slowly drifting to the commission form, but not, it is to be hoped, in the manner proposed by the applicant for the injunction refused by Mr. Justice Murphy. Had the water commissioner been declared "a law unto himself," on some equally strong pretext, the city treasurer or the city clerk might also be placed in similar positions, with no one to dispute their rights. Entertaining the highest regard for all three officials, the Times would not like to see, and we do not think any one of the officers named would like to see, that kind of commission government in Victoria. The municipal council, with all its faults, is better in every way than commissionerships established by injunctions would be. A council can at least be kicked out of office once in every year, which sometimes would be a satisfaction to the electors who do the kicking, but a commission of officials created by injunctions would be the very worst kind of an irresponsible oligarchy. It could defy kicking.

RETRIBUTION.

The bye-election in Macdonald, Manitoba, on October 2, 1912, which was annulled yesterday by a high tribunal, was unparalleled in the unsavory record of electoral crime. The tactics which resulted in the election of Alexander Morrison, the Conservative candidate, were so foul that the friends of the defendant threw up their hands and rather than face the disclosures they knew would follow further investigation, filed an admission to the judges that agents of their standard-bearer had been guilty of corruption.

What is it the Tory workers have admitted? They have confessed that Liberal canvassers and scrutineers were arrested on false grounds; that they were actually kidnapped and spirited from one jail to another while the campaign was in progress in order that they could not be rescued by their friends; that law officers and magistrates acting under instructions from headquarters refused bail in trumped-up charges for which bail was contemplated by the statutes; that blank warrants without dates were issued to be filled in at the discretion of Conservative workers; that one man was actually arrested under a warrant issued two days before the date of the alleged offence; that the accused were refused access to their lawyers; that private documents were criminally altered; that, with vigilant Liberal scrutineers and canvassers out of the way, there followed a carnival of personation and corruption at the polls unequalled, perhaps, in any country in the world. These charges were made in affidavits presented by the victims of this vile campaign, and the defence after loudly denying them now admits their truth.

The Conservative campaign in Macdonald was conducted by Hon. Robert Rogers in co-operation with the provincial government machine. The Minister of Public Works was on the spot. It was under his instructions that his political thugs operated. We know this to be true, because during the discussion of the outrage in the House of Commons on November 28 Mr. Rogers said:

"Referring to the election in the constituency of Macdonald I am pleased, either in this House or outside of it, to talk about, analyze and to discuss the result of that particular contest. . . . From my knowledge of the conditions I make the statement that no arrest was made in that constituency that was not fully and completely justified by the circumstances at that time. We are going to have these men before the courts and will make clear the reasons why they were arrested. . . . . I am prepared to leave this case before the House and the country. We went into the constituency of Macdonald and carried it by an overwhelming majority. That victory was due to the intelligence of the electors of the constituency."

What a commentary on this brazen attitude is afforded by the proceedings in the court yesterday! Mr. Rogers, knowing that the charges he denied with so much bravado were true, did not dare to contest the case and has allowed the candidate who was elected by an "overwhelming majority by the intelligent electors of the constituency" to be unseated for corruption. And that condidate sat in the House of Commons throughout the last session!

On the night of December 3, 1912, a division on this question occurred in the House of Commons and the entire Tory party voted its approval of the methods which won the election—methods which did not consist of isolated acts of political corruption but of wholesale enormities perpetrated in the name of the law. Among those who slavishly held up their right hands in support of a campaign over which even Huerta might blush were the Solid Seven from British Columbia!

The question naturally arises, is this the way the government won Chateauguay? Sir Wilfrid Laurier declares the seat was stolen. Rogers and his political gun-men were in the district, the latter having been summoned from Manitoba to resort to those methods which lent justification for Rogers's cynical declaration in the House of Commons, "I know how to win elections." And yet this is the man, branded by his own friends and the courts of his own province as a political corruptionist of the worst possible description, whom Mr. Borden, in spite of the warning of the respectable members of his own party, placed in charge of the most important spending department of the government service. The people of Canada, perhaps, now understand what the Montreal Star, a Conservative journal, meant two years ago when it said it regretted that the Prime Minister "had made a false step in admitting a most sinister influence to his councils."

THE BOOTH DYNASTY.

The visit to Canada of General Bramwell Booth, of the Salvation Army, brings into prominence the circumstance that when his gifted father founded the wonderful organization which has affected so profoundly the character of the world, he also established something like a dynasty. The aged general had been the leader of his forces in every respect. His authority was supreme, and his word was law. He was an autocrat, withal a kindly one, who divined that without a benevolent autocracy his army might suffer disintegration. He brooked no disobedience to his wishes, and his own son Ballington suffered in a clash with his imperious will. Before he died he had determined the succession to the leadership. The far-flung battalions he had brought into existence were not consulted. He had decided that his son Bramwell should succeed him in supreme command, and when the aged warrior passed away not a murmur was heard when the mantle descended to the shoulders of the son who had been so long his chief of staff. It was the general's wish; that was enough. From the tomb his spirit still exercised its potent sway over his remarkable army.

It is difficult to find a parallel in history for this transmission of power and authority from father to son, outside, of course, the record of the hereditary monarchy. The heads of great financial and commercial institutions, it is true, have passed the keys of their enterprises to their sons, conspicuous instances being the houses of Rothschild, Morgan, Astor and Field, but these are merely private undertakings to the property rights of which the sons were the natural heirs. But the Salvation Army is in an altogether different category. It is a great military religious organization comprising thousands of members carrying their propaganda to the remotest quarters of the globe. Its material aspect is a secondary consideration, almost negligible alongside the spiritual enthusiasm and energy which dominate it. Whether the late general's foresight in the selection of his successor was as unerring as that which had characterized his administration of his army remains to be seen. Men like General William Booth are rare visitants to this sphere. But unless the judgment of the leader was influenced by the natural sentiments of the father we must assume that he made no mistake when he handed the baton to his son.

THE DAY OF RECKONING.

The Colonist argues that the winning of an occasional bye-election in Britain by the Conservative party portends the early fall of the Asquith government. That may be, although there may be two opinions about it, because the fact is well known that in Britain bye-elections as a rule favor the opposition. In Canada the conditions are known to be precisely the reverse of this. If a government is strong in this country bye-elections ordinarily favor it. We do not know why this should be so, but no one will deny that it is so. Therefore, applying the argument of our contemporary to our own circumstances, the victory of the Liberals in some recent bye-elections and the tremendous reductions of Conservative majorities in constituencies that are overwhelmingly Tory in sentiment portends the inevitable downfall of the Borden government when the day of a general election arrives.

But the revellers have had a merry time during their short reign. The handwriting on the wall has appeared much sooner than they expected. They are alarmed. They are palpably in a panic, else why should they be so loth to meet parliament? They will muddle through the coming session in some way, doing little business, just hanging on. They will hang on perhaps for two more sessions, with the conditions becoming more uncertain and alarming. Insincerity is bad enough, but insincerity coupled with dishonesty and rank corruption can produce but one result.

AWAITING AN ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are informed that the Premier will make some important announcements in his speech before the ward associations of his party to-morrow night. We trust that among them will be the assurance that work on the Johnson street bridge and the railway terminals on the reserve is to start at once. A considerable number of men are out of employment just now, and the commencement of operations on the various projects will afford them much-needed relief.

We do not advocate, of course, that every time there is a dull season the government should spend the taxpayers' money whether such expenditure is required or not. But the bridge and reserve works are necessary undertakings, the urgency of which becomes more apparent daily. We were informed on December 25, 1912, that in announcing the plans, Sir Richard had given Miss Victoria the finest Christmas present she had ever received. Work was to be begun at once, said the announcement, and because of it the year 1913 was to be as prosperous as the twelve months which preceded it.

There is nothing to prevent a start being made at once with the Johnson street bridge. The government organ having failed to fix responsibility for the delay first on the city, and then on the E. & N. Railway Company, has given up the job as a bad one, and now contents itself with an expression of hope that something be done forthwith, in which everybody most heartily joins. To bring this about has been the object of the agitation started by the Times. We knew that if we stood to our guns long enough the authorities would be compelled to take some steps to carry into effect the plans so triumphantly announced almost twelve months ago.

MR. BORDEN'S ILLNESS.

The Colonist indulges in a little homily about the treatment of public men by their political opponents, thus rendering the discharge of onerous public duties as irksome and difficult as possible. Our contemporary from its own record is manifestly in a position to moralise and sermonise with effect upon this subject. How very kindly has been its own treatment of political opponents! Our impression is that the political opponents of the Colonist have been referred to in terms of, not to put too fine a point upon it, calculated brutality that would shame Tammany Hall at its worst. It was not content with mere speculation or misrepresentation, as the records prove. It went much farther. However, we are glad to observe that now it has fallen upon evil days, repentance, if not remorse, has seized upon it. "While the lamp holds out," etc.

Our contemporary takes as its text the case of Premier Borden, who is reported by the press, Conservative as well as Liberal, to be in such a delicate state of health as to necessitate a holiday. We have not seen a single unkindly reference to the premier in the unfortunate attack that has seized him, nor the slightest inclination to suggest that his political opponents may profit by his misfortune. Any speculation that may have been indulged in has been quite legitimate. There is not the slightest doubt that the meeting of parliament, which custom and necessity prescribe shall be in the early part of November, has been postponed until not earlier than the middle of January on account of the physical ailments of the leader of the government and of parliament. This is a misfortune to the country in that it necessitates delay in the discharge of public business of urgent necessity. If that is not a matter for legitimate public comment, in what category shall we place it?

The latest announcement is that parliament will not meet before January 15. That is a good two months later than usual, but perhaps the exigencies of the circumstances warrant it. There will be less time for discussion, and there are many things that from the government point of view it would be well to avoid discussing. As the date of the session has not been definitely announced, it even may be that Hon. "Bob" is seriously considering the adoption of the methods of Huerta.

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The people of the United States, as was anticipated, are absorbing our beef and leaving us the refuse. We, of course, maintain the embargo against American goods because to do otherwise would involve reciprocity, and we have been told that to accept reciprocity would be proof of disloyalty. Yet we imagine there are some hungry Canadians who would rejoice if given the opportunity of absorbing something American in exchange for our beef and other products without paying duties upon it.

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Hon. "Bob's" machine slipped another cog in Macdonald, Man., yesterday. When the Chateauguay case reaches the courts the probabilities are the entire gearing of the machine will be racked to pieces.

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Dr. Bruce Smith, of Toronto, in his arraignment of our prison system, likens Canada to Spain. Well, that is better than being classified with the Malay States and the Fiji Islands.

BITS OF WISDOM.

It is the old lesson—a worthy purpose, patient energy for its accomplishment, a resoluteness undaunted by difficulties, and then success.—W. M. Punshon.

Hatred does not cease by hatred at any time; hatred ceases by love.—Dhammapada.

When one leaves this world without a single regret, one passes straight to paradise.—Murasaki Shikib.

Had I but served my God with half the zeal I served my king, he would not in mine old age have left me naked to mine enemies.—Wolsey.

Epochs of faith are epochs of fruitfulness, but epochs of unbelief, however glittering, are barren of all permanent good.—Goethe.

OLD MEN THE LEADERS.

Montreal Daily News.

The great work of the world is being done and always has been done by men of middle life and more. Four-fifths of the business failures are made by young men. It is ripened experience and judgment that counts in the business world as in any work. In physical work the older man may be outclassed by the young ones; but in lines of work calling for skill, steadiness and reliability, the older man has the advantage. There is something seriously wrong with an economic system that finds a man useless at fifty.

INDIANS AND WHISKEY.

Case of Alleged Supply to an Aborigine is Before the Police Magistrate.

William Harris, a white man, was charged in police court to-day with having supplied Jim Toochee, a Ucluelet Indian, with a flask of whiskey, and the Indian was charged with being in possession of the flask.

Detective Siciliano told the court that while Detective Turner and himself were walking along Wharf street after ten o'clock last night they saw the two accused and a second Indian standing at the corner of Johnson street and drinking from a flask. All ran away as they approached. He arrested Jim, who had a flask in his pocket, and Turner collared the other Indian. After turning Jim over to his comrade he went after the white man and arrested him. When he got back he found that the Indians had been struggling with Turner, one of them getting away and the flask being smashed.

Last night Jim told the detectives that he had paid Harris fifty cents for the flask, but in the witness-box to-day he would not admit this and denied having any flask at all. The Indian who escaped was the bad boy according to him.

An adjournment was granted to the prosecution until to-morrow so as to get Detective Turner's evidence.

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Warmer Waists for Colder Weather

FOR a warm Waist at an inexpensive price, you cannot do better. Flannelette and delaines. These are a few of the many we have to offer.

Flannelette Waists in a medium quality neat dark patterns, suitable for housewear. A very special line at .....**50¢**

Delaine Waists in a medium quality, made in the plain shirt style, with turn-down French collar and turn-back cuffs. The patterns are in wide and narrow stripes. A splendid line for.....**$1.00**

Delaine Waist in black and white stripe effects, made in the shirt style, with French collar and cuffs. A good line, each **$1.50**

Wool Taffeta Waist, made in shirt style, with double French collar, turn-back cuffs and patch pocket. Neatly trimmed with glass buttons. A warm, comfortable waist for home or street wear. Each, only **$2.75**

Wool Taffeta Waist in striped effects, in a neat style with attached Robespierre collar, edged with lace. Full length sleeve, finished with lace. Colored glass buttons gives this waist an effective finish. A special line at **$2.75**

The same material, finished with French collar and cuffs, at the same price.

Other values up to **$3.50**

—First Floor

Women's and Children's Fall Underwear

Special Sale Wednesday

FOR samples of these goods, note the display in the View street window. They are all exceptional values, while a few clearing up lines are marked at an extraordinary low price. These are the particulars:

Zenith All-Wool Vests and Drawers, well-shaped garments, in various styles. Vests high neck and long sleeves; low neck, closed front, and long sleeves. Drawers to match in ankle and knee lengths. Regular 90c value. Wednesday, per garment....**75¢**

Women's Vests in natural and white, high neck, long sleeves and button front; also drawers to match. Per garment, Wednesday.....**50¢**

Women's Combinations, "Winsome" brand; a good line for wear at any time of year. Made from a mixture of wool and cotton, and very comfortable to wear. High neck, long sleeves and ankle length. Regular $1.50 value. Special, Wednesday....**$1.00**

Women's Fleece-Lined Combinations, in white and natural; ankle length and high neck. Special **$1.25**

Children's Combinations in suitable weight for Fall wear. Made from a mixture of wool and cotton. High necks, long sleeves, and sizes 2 to 12 years. Special Wednesday at prices, according to size, from 90c to .....**40¢**

$4.90 for a Regular $6.90 Rocker—Wednesday

A NICE comfortable Rocking Chair, substantially made, with solid oak frames, finished in a nice fumed shade. The seats are upholstered and covered in solid patched leather. A very useful chair for den or dining-room. We have too many of these in stock, so intend clearing them out on Wednesday at this special price.

45 Boys' Two-Piece Suits to Clear Wednesday $3.75

In dark greys and brown mixtures. Sizes 24 to 34. Mostly double-breasted styles, with bloomer pants.

—Main Floor

Two Specials in Tapestry Squares for Wednesday

BOTH of these offerings are in a good serviceable quality and a Square that will give every satisfaction in wear. There's a good range of designs and colorings to select from. This offering affords you a splendid chance to get a new carpet at an inexpensive price and at a good price saving. Size 3x4 yards. Regular $9.75. Special value, Wednesday, **$7.90**

Size 2¼x3 yards. Regular $6.90 value. Special value, Wednesday **$5.90**

A Good Cocoa Mat for $1

A well-made Mat in a useful size, one that will stand lots of real hard wear and give good satisfaction.

Satin Underskirts, Only $1.75

And a real good line they are, too, for such a low price. The style and colors are just the kind that please most women—Plain tops with flounce; the colors include tans, browns, Paddy green, saxe and others. Call and look these over and make your selection while all shades are here. —First Floor

Children's Flannelette Pyjamas

Are the most comfortable sleeping garments for the cold winter nights. No fear of the little ones catching a cold on some cold night when restlessness causes them to kick the other clothes off. They are well worth their modest cost. In good quality flannelette, with figured nursery patterns. Sizes 2 to 10 years. Per suit **$1.75**

CHILDREN'S BATH ROBES

In same materials as above, and sizes 4 to 14 years. A splendid line at.....**$1.35**

—First Floor

A Three-Day Stock Reducing Sale of Towels—Starting Wednesday

WEDNESDAY, Thursday and Friday are the three days on which we shall hold this special stock-reducing Towel sale. We believe that the following low prices will create a very big demand for these goods, and that three days' quick selling will reduce our overloaded stocks to something like normal. We would remind you that every offering is taken from our regular stock, and is perfect in weave and texture; best English goods. On sale only on days mentioned above at these prices.

Our Regular $1.50 to $2.50 Bath Mats, Clearing at $1.25

A large size Mat in a thick heavy Turkish weave, and the best of quality. In various colorings and designs. A Mat you can scarcely afford to be without at this price.

Regular $1.25 Bath Mats to Clear at 85c

A ridiculously low price for such a fine quality. Each mat has the words "Bath Mat" printed on it in colors red and blue.

Our Large 25c Towel Table Will Contain Some Rare Bargains for the First Day. Values From 30c to 75c.

This table will be ready by 8.30 on Wednesday morning, and customers will pick out their own values. Included will be white and colored Turkish hand towels, large size bath towels and also the heavy linen circulating towels. This offer is unequalled and will be on sale Wednesday only. Early shoppers will secure the best values.

Regular 20c Brown Turkish Towels, 2 for 25c

And not a tiny size as some might imagine by the price, but a nice handy size towel.

$2.00 Per Dozen for Regular $3.00 Glass Cloths

A plain linen cloth with a stamped border at each end ready-hemmed for use. At this cut price we can only sell them in dozens.

Regular 15c Turkish Roller Toweling for 10c

Take advantage of this low price by ordering a few extra lengths. It's cheap enough, and it may be a long time before we can offer such value as this.

Regular 15c Linen Roller Toweling for 9c

Only 500 yards of this heavy crash to clear at this low price; 16 ins. wide; medium close weave; bordered, and a hard wearing quality.

TWO SPECIALS IN WHITE COTTON GOODS

Regular 20c White Cambric for 12½c

36 ins. wide, full bleached and a perfect weave.

Regular 25c White Cotton for 20c

This is a good selling line at the regular price so that we expect a big sale on Wednesday. A strong wearing cloth, unequalled at this price.

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Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff; you cannot have nice, heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots famish, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast.

If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy or too oily, get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter; apply a little as directed and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.

We sincerely believe, regardless of everything else advertised, that if you desire soft, lustrous, beautiful hair and lots of it—no dandruff—no itching scalp and no more falling hair—you must use Knowlton's Danderine. If eventually—why not now?

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Ladies' Tailor.—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, room 5, Haynes Blk., Fort street. •

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Hanna & Thomson, Pandora Ave.—Leading Funeral furnishing house. Connections: Vancouver, New Westminster and Winnipeg. •

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S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty 'phone Inspector Russell, 1921; Secretary, L1738. •

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The B. C. Funeral Co., Chas. Hayward, president, 734 Broughton street. Calls promptly attended to. Phone 2235. •

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All Modern Methods in dentistry practiced by Dr. J. L. Thompson, 1214 Government St. Open evenings. •

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Phoenix Beer, $1.50 per doz. qts. •

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Economy Wet Wash Laundry.—Family wash, 75c a week. Clothes returned on the following day, thoroughly washed. Phone 3339. 2612 Bridge street. •

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The Key Shop, 610 Pandora St. •

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Baby's Health is Good where a Vacuum Cleaner is used. Phone 4618, 721 Yates St. •

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Wanted to Purchase.—Good agreements for sale at reasonable rates. Colonial Trust Company, Limited. Merchants Bank Building. •

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Popcorn Crispettes.—See them made daily. Fresh roasted peanuts. Fort street, near Douglas. •

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Reduce Cost of Living.—Skates hollow-ground, 25c. Wilson's, 614 Cormorant. •

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The Umbrella Shop, 610 Pandora St. •

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Silent Salesman Show Cases.—Show Cases, $12.00 per foot and upwards. Victoria Show Case Co., Factory 2207 Government street, corner Princess and Government Streets. •

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Skate-Grinding Specialists. — 610 Pandora St. •

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Don't miss the Big Key Contest at Watson & McGregor's, 647 Johnson St. •

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Victoria Branch of the British Columbia Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. The annual meeting will be held in the cafe of the Alexandra Club on Wednesday evening next at 8 o'clock. Thos. W. Palmer, secretary. •

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Good Opportunity.—We have some very fine acreage within one mile of Sidney to trade for City Property. If interested apply P. O. Box 1576. •

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Dentistry Without Discomfort.—Dr. J. L. Thompson, 1214 Government St. Open evenings. •

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Sepias for Xmas. — Your Xmas photos should be finished in sepia. Artistic to a degree. The Skene Lowe Studio, corner Yates and Douglas. Arrange for them now. •

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B. B. B. B.—Buy Brown's Blue Band Crockery. A very neat pattern. Cov. Vegetables, $1.40; Platters, 40c to $1.75; Gravy Boat, 40c; Bakers, 60c. R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 1302 Douglas St. •

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Sooke Harbor Hotel.—Come to Sooke Poultry Association Annual Informal Dance on Thursday, November 13, 9 p. m. Come early and visit the show Wednesday and Thursday. Prize-giving by kindness of Mrs. R. H. Pooley, 8 p. m. •

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$10 Reward will be paid by the Gilbert Pen Co. to the first one presenting a celluloid cap or barrel split or chipped by accident on their pen. •

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Cooking Made Easy.—Ring up F. Oak & Co., 1847 L2 for a large double load of fir cordwood cut in stove lengths and you have solved the problem. •

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Beer Here—the finest beer that ever came over from Bavaria, rich, delicious "Humbser;" 10 cents a glass at "The Kaiserhof."

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50c. Furnace Scoop.—Large, strong, handy. Phone 3712 and we will deliver you one. R. A. Brown & Co. •

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Artillery Course.—A five-weeks' Royal School Artillery course was begun by a number of the Fifth Regiment last night, and those who qualify at the final are eligible for promotion to sergeant. Instructions will be given every evening, and members of the regiment desiring to partake must report to the adjutant in uniform promptly at 8 o'clock at the Armories.

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Indian Commission.—The work of the Indian Commission will close for the season at the end of the month and will be resumed at the beginning of April. The offices here will remain open and the staff will prepare for the work of the next season. While a great deal was done in the field this summer, it is said to be but a very small part of what remains to be done.

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Judges at Sooke.—There are quite a number of crates of birds waiting at the office of the Sooke stage for transport to that place for exhibition at the poultry show, which opens to-morrow afternoon. H. D. Reid will be the judge of the live birds and J. R. Terry of the eggs and dressed poultry, while in the pigeon section the judges will be T. C. Oldershaw and W. Miller.

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Rule of the Road.—No decision has yet been reached by the city council with regard to the proposed change in the rule of the road of this city. The subject came into review last evening as the result of the recent resolution of the Victoria Automobile Club. The letter was laid on the table, Alderman Porter remarking that the majority of the council were opposed to a change.

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Epworth League Meeting.—On Monday night last, at Wesley Methodist church a very enjoyable programme under the management of Miss E. Beatty was given. Songs and recitations were given and a number of games were played that were participated in by all present. Meetings are held every Monday evening at 8 o'clock, and all young people are welcome.

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Fruit Selling Agencies. — J. Kidston, Vernon, one of the members of the agricultural commission, who went south to look into the matter of selling agencies in vogue among the fruit growers of California, is back in the capital. He found that several of the difficulties confronting the growers in that state were the same as are met by the growers of this province, and he made careful inquiry into the way they meet these.

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Milk From American Ports.—The deputy minister of agriculture forwarded last evening to the city council a lengthy circular with regard to the shipment of milk into British Columbia. The department desired to see the municipalities enact by-laws regulating the source of supply from United States points. The letter was sent to the chairmen of the health and legislative committees and health officer.

Wall Paper, 10c Per Roll.—Estimates furnished on Decorating and House-Painting. H. Harkness & Son, 919 Pandora Ave. •

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Opera in Photoplay at the Dominion Theatre.—Wagner's famous opera Tannhauser is proving a big attraction, being one of the best feature films yet shown at the Dominion. The meeting of Tannhauser and Venus, their sojourn in the regions inhabited by the nymphs is especially enchanting, transporting the onlooker for the time being into a veritable fairyland. The music is also specially arranged to accompany this picture. This production is in three parts containing 3,000 feet of film. The balance of the programme is also most interesting and contains many fine comedies. There is also the Topical Budget full of the latest happenings. •

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Opening of Children's Aid Addition.—The mayor and aldermen have been invited to the opening of the addition of the Children's Aid home, which has been built by them, on November 18.

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Claim for Damages.—A claim has been lodged with the city council by Mr. Adamas through City Electrician Hutchison for $433 compensation and damages for falling into a pole hole at the corner of Pemberton road and Rockland avenue.

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Permission for Dye Works.—Although a favorable petition for the establishment by J. C. Renfrew of a dye works on Johnson street near Cook street has been received the city council has laid the subject over till the opportunity has been afforded for the other side to be heard.

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Missing Man Located.—Through the efforts of the police the whereabouts of John Lenahan, who is wanted by his relatives in St. John, N. B., in connection with an estate, has been discovered. He spent some time in St. Joseph's hospital, leaving there in May, and he is now working in the Comox district.

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Acquit Chief of Mistake.—The police commissioners explain that the mistake with regard to the payment of the police share of the conduit system should not be blamed to the chief of police as provision was made in the estimates, but it was cut out on account of the financial situation early in the year.

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Reports Presented.—Some account of the financial conditions obtaining in the Old Country will be outlined by J. J. Shallcross at a meeting of the council of the Board of Trade which is to be held to-morrow. The president will occupy the chair after an absence of two months. The various committees of the board, which have been particularly active of late, will have reports to make to the council of their work.

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Will Meet on Budget.—The city council will meet on Friday to discuss the budget system and various legislative reforms which have been under discussion intermittently during the year. An attempt last evening to get attention for the mayor's proposal for town planning was put by for another week, Alderman Cuthbert saying that when the liabilities for some of the present widening schemes are discharged, then will be the time for town planning.

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Lived Here.—Residents in the city who knew Mrs. Bornstein, will be grieved to hear of her death last Sunday in San Francisco, where she had lived for nearly a year. The deceased lady is the widow of the late H. Bornstein, for 25 years the agent here for Messrs. Bessinger & Company. Interment will take place here this week in the Jewish cemetery, the remains having already been sent from San Francisco. Three grandchildren survive: Mrs. J. Stirling and Mrs. Anthony, of San Francisco; and Alex. A. Moss, of Vancouver.

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The Place of Physical Training.—On his return from Portland yesterday H. Beall, physical director M. C. A., was accompanied by W. H. Ball, secretary of the physical department of the International Board of the Y. M. C. A., who last evening addressed a large number of local association men and their friends on "The Place of Physical Training." In the course of his talk Mr. Ball complimented the directors on the excellent plan of the Victoria institution, and referred to the excellent work Mr. Beall had accomplished in training corps of leaders for the physical work. Mr. Ball left to-day for Vancouver and other points on the mainland, and on his return journey to the East will visit all the Y. M. C. A.'s in cities en route.

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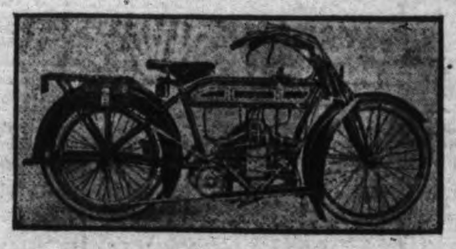

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And mayhap from out my woe
Something green will later grow
That will add unto my power
In some chance, emergent hour
To relieve the burden gray
Of some comrade gone astray!

Fined for Speeding.—The Cadillac Garage was to-day fined $20 for speeding.

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Assessment for Conduits.—Another protesting owner against assessment for laying a cable in order to put the telephone wires underground is L. J. Camsusa, who has written to the city council on the subject.

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Street Clock Indicators.—A committee having reported to the city council in favor of the erection in downtown streets of 15 street clock indicators, the electrician and city engineer will report on the subject.

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Civic Salaries By-law.—Alderman McNeill was still speaking to the second reading of the civic salaries by-law last evening when time was talked out and he will therefore continue his explanation at the next meeting of the city council.

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Political Equality League.—The organizer of the Political Equality League has written thanking the council for passing a resolution in favor of the enfranchisement of women householders, and it has been determined that the government shall be approached on the subject at the next session.

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Found With Slung-shot.—Charles Hopkins was arrested yesterday by Detective Sergeant O'Leary and charged to-day in police court with unlawfully carrying an offensive weapon, a slung-shot, which was found in a pocket of his coat. He was remanded until Thursday for inquiry. The police believe he has a record, and additional reason for this was given by his defiant demeanor in the dock and his statement that he had "got nothin' to say" to the charge.

EDNA AUG AT THE EMPRESS

Comedienne Heads a Good Bill at the Vaudeville House This Week.

Miss Edna Aug has come to the Empress theatre this week to delight old friends and make new ones. Miss Aug is a character comedienne of considerable talent, and her portrayal of the peculiarities of some of the people one meets every day are as clever as they are humorous. The characters she is delineating are taken from among the workers, but are none the less admirable for that. Her acting of the working girl at the telephone was inimitable and she received recall after recall. Miss Aug has a pleasant singing voice, but makes little use of it in her present turn.

The latest comer to the vaudeville stage is the motor cycle. In addition to all the excitement of circling around in a confined space there is the rattle and roar of the engines and the noise of the exhaust—to say nothing of the odor of the gasoline—to add to the novelty of the act. Houghton, Morris and Houghton appear in the turn.

A graceful bit of dancing is done by the Three Dancing Mars. The boy and girl are quite young both. One gets instead of the farcical sketch that is expected from Adelyne Rowe and her company from a perusal of the bill and the opening scene an excellent exhibition of trapeze and aerial work.

Leo Beers is an entertaining pianist and singer, though the former is his strong suit.

BANKERS' TRUST CASE.

Evidence for the Crown Will Be in This Afternoon and Defence Will Open To-morrow.

It is expected that the crown will complete its case against Cook and Hearn this afternoon and that the defence will be able to begin the presentation of its evidence to-morrow morning.

At the afternoon sitting yesterday the hearing of the Sidney witnesses began, those who were called being Samuel Roberts, John Brethour, Alex. McDonald and Julius Brethour.

Present indications are that a verdict can be reached some time on Friday, probably late in the evening.

POINT ELLICE BRIDGE.

Engineer Has Already Taken Up Question With Canadian Northern Railway.

With regard to the suggested improvements on the Point Ellice bridge and Rock Bay bridge urged recently by the Inner Harbor Association, City Engineer Rust last evening advised the city council that he had already taken up with the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway the proposed open span in the Point Ellice bridge. In regard to the Rock Bay bridge, he did not recommend any repair of the old bridge as it would practically have to be rebuilt.

Alderman Cuthbert thought it might be possible to reduce the length of the bridge and to submit a by-law at the annual election on the future of the bridge.

A special committee, consisting of Aldermen Porter, Cuthbert and Heaton, was appointed with the city engineer to make a recommendation on the subject.

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Along the Waterfront

Shipping News from Day to Day

PRESIDENT LEAVES FOR 'FRISCO FULL

Pacific Coast Steamship Carries Record Crowd Out From Victoria

Carrying the largest list of passengers ever to sail out of Victoria on a steamship bound for San Francisco, the President, Capt. Paulsen, of the Pacific coast fleet departed for the Golden Gate shortly after 4 o'clock this afternoon. The big coaster was sold out, and a number of applicants for tickets at Victoria, Vancouver and Puget Sound cities had to be refused passage, and make reservations on next week's steamship. The President is proving decidedly popular in the Victoria service, and if the business continues as brisk as it has for the past few months, it is thought the Pacific coast officials will arrange to keep the steamship operating out of this port.

Over 100 passengers embarked on the liner at this port to-day, and together with the huge crowds from other ports the President's accommodation was all taken. The rush south is growing heavier with every out-going 'Frisco steamship. The Congress, which left Seattle last Friday, carried 593 passengers, which is a record for the trade. The President is being heavily patronized owing to the fact that she provides a direct service between Victoria and Los Angeles.

Passenger List.

Some of the passengers who embarked at this port were the following: Miss Elsie Worswick, Mrs. H. Worswick, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bolger, F. M. Hyndman, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pattison, Mrs. J. R. McKenzie, Miss L. Turner, Miss C. Goodwin, Miss Eleanor Wright, Mrs. J. Johnson, F. Stolz, Miss Gertrude Jay, Miss B. Tomascka, Miss R. Collins, Mrs. F. L. Wilmer, Miss D. L. Michaels, Mrs. Laura Travis, F. Wilmer, Mrs. M. J. Tenet, Miss Ethel Waxstock, G. A. Riggle, R. P. Whiteside, R. C. Borthwick, L. R. Dobie and wife, Miss Claudine Tenet, Mr. and Mrs. Kellick, R. Locke, Mrs. Locke, Geo. Henderson, Chas. H. Hahn, Harry Bridges, Mr. Morrison, R. Moody, Mrs. E. D. Todd and A. Faulkner. Thirteen Italians, travelling third-class, also joined the President here.

SLOOPS GO NEXT WEEK

According to the latest information from naval circles the sloops-of-war Algerine and Shearwater will not be sailing on their annual cruises to southern waters until about Monday of next week. The Algerine has shifted from the coaling wharf at Esquimalt to allow the Shearwater to go alongside and fill her bunkers. The two gunboats are taking on stores for the long trips and will be ready for sea at the end of the week.

MAY RELIEVES PATRICIA

Completing her last trip in the Skagway trade for 1913, the C. P. R. steamer Princess May, Capt. McLeod, reached Vancouver yesterday and this morning relieved the Princess Patricia, Capt. Ritchie, on the Nanaimo run. The little flyer is to be laid up a few days to blow down her boilers. The May is expected to arrive in Victoria about Friday morning.

McARTHUR CALLS HERE.

The American survey steamer McArthus called off the Outer Docks this morning.

GERMAN COMPANIES INCREASING FLEETS

North German Lloyd Building Several Leviathans; Hamburg-America Buying

Extensive additions to its already mammoth fleet of ocean-going vessels are planned by the North German Lloyd Steamship Company. The building programmes of the great Atlantic companies are always of interest. The strenuous competition on the trade routes between the Old World and the New World makes it necessary for the companies to maintain the finest and fastest ships and the greatest efficiency on board. The German companies at the present time are engaged in a policy of improving their fleet. New boats are being planned in order to keep them in the forefront of the race for steamship supremacy.

The North German Lloyd's building programme, as determined upon, contemplates the addition of 188,600 tons to the fleet of the company. The principal items in this programme are the building of the Columbus, which will be placed in the New York-London-Paris-Bremen service in August of 1914, and the building of a sister ship to the Columbus. Each of these will have a gross registered tonnage of 35,000. The other dimensions are as follows: Length, 775 feet; beam, 83 feet; depth, 54 feet, and displacement of 40,000 tons. They will be equipped with 30,000 horse-power engines, and will make about 20 or 21 knots. The Columbus, as well as her sister ship, will have accommodation for 1,200 steerage passengers.

Will Have Nine Decks.

The new steamships will have nine decks, of which the top deck will be set aside for first cabin social rooms. The cabin space in all classes will be unusually large, and the cabins themselves will be furnished in the most modern way, with a view to the comfort and convenience of the passengers. Paul Ludwig Truest, the well-known Munich architect, will have charge of the decorations. The closest attention will be given to the safety devices on board, so that they will not only meet the requirements of the German, English, French and American authorities, but will tend to increase safety on the sea to the greatest extent possible.

It has not yet been definitely decided as to who will have charge of the Columbus, but it is very probable that Capt. P. Wettin, who formerly commanded the George Washington, will be entrusted with her. The Columbus is being built in the ship-yards of F. Schichau, Danzig, and will probably be launched on December 11. Crown Princess Cecilie of Germany will christen the new steamship.

The other items of the building programme are as follows: S. S. Zeppelin, registered tonnage 15,000, horse-power 9,500; one passenger and freight steamer, registered tonnage 18,000, horse-power 16,000; 8 freight steamers of 6,600 tons each, registered tonnage 52,000, horse-power 32,000; 4 freight steamers of 8,000 tons each, registered tonnage 32,000, horse-power 17,600.

There will also be a sistership to the S. S. Berlin, which will be built on the same general lines as this steamer, which in the Mediterranean service, is regarded as a model ship.

RHENANIA REACHES PORT.

Hamburg, Nov. 11.—The Hamburg-American Steamship Company says its vessel, the Rhenania, reported in distress off the Spanish coast, ran into port at Corunna, Spain, yesterday for repairs. She had encountered severe weather, during which her pumps became clogged.

MORE BRIDE-SEEKERS OFF FOR HOME TOWNS

Party of 115 Japanese Sails on Seattle Maru; Hurrying Mexico

One hundred and fifteen Japanese, forming an excursion party from British Columbia, joined the outbound Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Seattle Maru, Capt. Saito, at the outer docks this morning. Shortly before noon the mooring ropes were cast off, and the Japanese steamship headed for the Orient. The sight-seeing party is one of the largest to leave this coast this season for Japan. The chief reason for the returning of these men, who have made small fortunes in this country, is to take unto themselves wives. The Japanese in this respect, are like the young old countryman, who comes to this country to try his luck, and leaves his heart behind, hoping some day to be able to bring his helpmate out to this country.

Each year the Japanese steamship companies offer special rates for these so-called excursion parties, and secure a large number of Nipponese to cross the pond to their native land. It is a good way to increase travel, as the little brown men generally are accompanied on the return trip by their wives. Already this year over 500 Japanese have taken in these excursions.

The Seattle Maru cleared for Yokohama and Hongkong laden to her capacity with general freight, including cotton, wheat, flour, lumber, fish and machinery. At this port stevedores placed 150 boxes of Vancouver island grown apples in the holds of the steamship. It is a sample shipment.

Hurry Up Mexico Maru.

Sunset to-morrow will be at 4.37 o'clock, and wireless messages have been sent to Capt. Kobyashi, master of the Osaka liner Mexico Maru, to use a little more steam. According to a former message the master of the steamship said that he would arrive at William Head at 5 o'clock to-morrow. The agents are anxious to have the vessel pass quarantine to-morrow, and thereby avoid a lengthy overnight wait at the station. The sunrise to sunset regulations are to be strictly adhered to by the doctor at William Head, and if the Maru does not berth before 4.37 she will not receive her pratique till Thursday morning. The Mexico has some reserve steam, and a wireless was sent last night to hurry her along a little.

The Mexico Maru has a small list of passengers for this port, and 350 tons of cargo to put off.

WIRELESS REPORTS

Nov. 11, 8 a. m.

Point Grey.—Overcast; calm; 29.91; 37.

Cape Lazo.—Cloudy; calm; 29.91; 35; sea smooth.

Tatoosh.—Part cloudy; E., 9 miles; 29.97; 45; sea smooth. In, 7.30 p. m., S. S. Titania; 11.30 a. m., S. S. Chatham; 12.30 a. m.; barque Thistlebark, 12.30 a. m. Out, S. S. Arroline, 5.20 a. m.

Pachena.—Clear; calm; 29.80; 45; sea smooth. Spoke, S. S. Princess Maquinna, 7.30 a. m., at Cloo'ose; northbound.

Estevan.—Clear; calm; 29.82; 31; sea moderate. Spoe, S. S. Mexico Maru, 3.40 a. m.; position at 8 p. m.; lat. 49.59 N. long. 136.28 W.; eastbound.

Triangle.—Cloudy; N., 30.18; 32. Spoke, S. S. Niagara 2.30 a. m., 429 miles from Victoria at 8 p. m.; northbound.

Ikeda.—Cloudy; calm; 29.82; 35; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert.—Overcast; calm; 29.94; 40; sea smooth.

Dead Tree Point.—Cloudy; N. W.; 29.98; 27; sea smooth.

ROYAL MAIL LINERS

Findlay, Durham & Brodie, agents of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, report the positions of its ships in the Pacific service as follows:

Vestalia—Arrived Manila from Hongkong, October 28.

Den of Ruthven—Arrived Moji from Portland, October 22.

Den of Crombie—Sailed from Vancouver for Orient, October 18.

Den of Glamis—Sailed from Seattle for Portland, November 7.

Indramayo—Arrived Yokohama from Seattle October 19.

Monadnock—Sailed from Seattle for Yokohama October 28.

Solveig—Left Moji for Seattle October 18.

Vennacher—To sail from Moji for Seattle about November 10.

Beachy—Due Seattle 26, December from Japan, to load for Liverpool and Dublin.

NIAGARA IN TO-MORROW

The Canadian-Australian liner Niagara, Capt. Morrisby, will reach William Head during the night and will berth at this port early to-morrow morning from the Antipodes. The steamship has a number of passengers for Victoria and 120 tons of cargo.

POUNDING TO PIECES.

Longpoint, Ont., Nov. 11.—The steamer Ephicke, which ran ashore about three weeks ago, is rapidly pounding to pieces in the storm now raging over Lake Erie.

JUST ELEVEN DAYS OUT JAPAN ARRIVES

Empress in From Orient After Smart, Uneventful Trip; Few Passengers

Crossing the Pacific from Yokohama to Victoria in the smart time of eleven days the C. P. R. steamship, Empress of Japan, Capt. Hopcroft, came into port at 1 o'clock to-day without a single unusual incident entered in her log. The voyage was one of the finest reported by an inbound liner for several months. The trim Empress was favored with fair winds and following seas which helped her considerably in steaming into port well ahead of her schedule time.

At noon on Friday, October 31, the Empress of Japan steamed out of the harbor of Yokohama, and exactly 11 days later she was at William Head ready for inspection by the quarantine officer. The trip is the fastest made by one of the old white liners since the Japan established the record for the Pacific by arriving here ten days and ten hours out from Yokohama. This mark stood until the new Empresses entered the Oriental trade. Capt. Hopcroft reported the finest kind of weather prevailing throughout the trip. Typhoons in the China seas, terrific gales on the Pacific and mountain seas, did not put in an appearance while the Japan was en route.

Very Small List.

The Empress of Japan brought in a very light list of passengers, there being but ten in the saloon and only a small crowd in steerage. The first-class travellers were as follows: P. F. Broughton, the Misses Morris, Dr. Baldwin, R. Tanner, Mr. Syverster, Mrs. Griffin and Mr. Ericson. A number of Chinese passengers disembarked at this port. There were 15 Russians on board bound for Vancouver. It is expected that another immigration problem will have to be unravelled, as the men did not come direct from the land of their birth, having joined the Empress at a Japanese port.

The Japan arrived here with a shipment of silk worth well over $1,000,000.

Improvements Made.

While berthed at Hongkong a number of improvements were made on board the Japan. On a previous trip a number of cabins on the promenade deck were torn out and arrangements made for fitting it up as a lounge room. On her arrival here to-day the new room was nicely furnished. The color of the life-boats was also changed from a yellow to a dark brown.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

San Francisco, Cal. — Arrived: Str. China, Hongkong; str. City of Para, Balboa; strs. Redondo and Hardy, Coos Bay; Br. str. Crown of Arragon, Antwerp; str. Rose City, Portland; strs. J. B. Stetson and G. C. Lindauer, Gray's Harbor; sch. C. T. Hill, Knik, Alaska. Sailed: Str. Carlos, Puget Sound; str. El Segundo, Vancouver; Br. barque Calcutta, Yokohama; str. Congress, San Pedro.

Port Townsend, Wash.—Arrived: Str. Luz Blanca, Newcastle, Eng. Sailed: Str. Luz Blanca, Seattle.

Tacoma, Wash.—Arrived: Str. Wilmington, Seattle. Sailed: Str. Cordova and Watson, Seattle; Japanese str. Shinbu Maru, Yokohama; Japanese str. Seattle Maru, Yokohama.

San Pedro, Cal.—Arrived: Str. Willamette, San Diego; str. Roanoke, Portland via San Francisco; str. Temple E. Dorr, Portland; str. Stanley Dollar, Bellingham. Sailed: Str. Willamette, Puget Sound via San Francisco; str. Falcon, San Francisco; Roanoke, San Diego.

Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Str. Alki, Southeastern Alaska; str. Governor, San Diego via San Francisco; str. Rainier, San Francisco; str. City of Seattle, Skagway; str. Harpathian, San Francisco; str. Watson, Tacoma; str. Cordova, Tacoma; Br. tank str. Luz Blanca, Newcastle, Eng.; str. Davenport, San Francisco. Sailed: Str. Cricket, Tacoma; str. Wilmington, Tacoma.

H.-A. BUYING SHIPS.

In addition to several big liners now under construction for the Hamburg-America line, the company has just completed the purchase of two large steamers not yet off the ways in European yards, as well as two vessels of the Strath line. For the two uncompleted vessels the Hamburg-American line, which operates a fleet in the service to this port from Europe via the Orient, paid more than $745,000. The cash price paid for the two Strath vessels is not known.

According to news received here from London, the Hamburg-America line has purchased a steel shelter deck freighter of 9,150 tons dead weight cargo capacity for $355,000. The vessel is to be delivered in February. She is 410 feet in length, 52 feet beam and 31 feet depth of hold. At present she is on the ways at the Northumberland Shipbuilding Company's plant at Howdon.

The other vessel purchased on the ways is slightly larger. She is to be of 9,200 tons dead weight carrying capacity. She is 429 feet in length, 56 feet beam and 30 feet depth of hold. She is being built by A. McMillan & Sons, Dumbarton, and was for the order of I. B. Pearson & Co. of Glasgow. She is to be delivered in January and the Hamburg-American Company pays £78,000 for her.

The two Strath steamers purchased by the Hamburg-America line are the Strathmore and Strathcarron. They are vessels of 2,803 net tons and were built only last year by the Grangemouth Dock-yard Company at Greenock for Burrell & Son, managing owners of the Strath line.

CRUISER STERNS FOR NEW COASTING SHIPS

C. P. R. to Have New Style For Princesses; More Deck Accommodation

Cruiser sterns are to grace the two new C. P. R. Princess steamers now in the course of construction at Denny Bros.' shipyards, Dumbarton, Scotland. The officials of the B. C. Coast Service have decided to embody this latest improvement in the building of passenger steamships in the plans for the 22½-knot flyers in order to not only increase the deck space, but to ensure the greatest stability possible.

With the arrival here of the two additions to the B. C. Coast Service the fleet of cruiser-sterns ships operating out of this port will then number six. All the "cruisers" will have three huge stacks protruding out from their decks and will make a splendid fleet. Led by the Empress of Russia, flagship of the C. P. R. trans-Pacific service, followed by her sister-ship, the Empress of Asia, then coming the two new palatial Princesses, and the G. T. P. steamers Prince Rupert and Prince George, the picture of the six "cruisers" would be exceptionally fine.

New Sterns Prove Worth.

The cruiser sterns were not introduced into shipbuilding without exhaustive experiments being performed. Finding that the deck accommodation, especially on the main deck, is greatly increased and the rearrangement of the after tanks give the ship a better stability, several of the steamship companies at once set to work drafting this new idea into the plans for their proposed new ships. The G. T. P. steamers Prince Rupert and Prince George were the first ships to have cruiser sterns, and their inauguration on ocean-going steamships was noted with the building of the C. P. R. leviathans Empress of Russia and Empress of Asia. The cruiser stern on the Atlantic will be introduced on the Allan liners Alsatian and Calgarian, which enter service next month.

TO SETTLE SUPERIORITY ON RACE TO VALPARAISO

Portland, Ore., Nov. 11.—Loading at the same port on the river, expected to complete their cargoes on the same day, having the same quantity of lumber aboard and to clear for the same destination, is a chain of peculiar circumstances about the barquentine Puako and schooner George E. Billings. Each is taking on her cargo at Westport and will clear for Valparaiso, probably getting away to-morrow. Each is expected to have aboard 1,400,000 feet of fir.

But Captain Pederson, master of the Puako, is of the opinion that the sameness in the vessels will vanish as soon as they cross out to sea, believing that his vessel will show her heels to the Billings and complete the quicker passage. He has backed his judgment in this respect by placing a wager with a representative of W. R. Grace & Co., the charterers, that he will be the first to report at Valparaiso. The race will not start until the tug lets go her hawser from each vessel off the mouth of the river, and will end when they drop anchor in Valparaiso Bay. It is reported that Captain Thompson, master of the Billings, declined to place a wager on his vessel, giving as a reason that the Puako "has too many kites." Pedersen says he is confident he will be able to complete the passage in 55 days. Over the same course the average run of a sailing vessel is 75 days.

THISTLEBANK OFF CAPE 151 DAYS FROM AYRES

The British barque Thistlebank, Capt. Auld, passed in at Tatoosh shortly after midnight last night, 151 days out from Buenos Ayres. The tug Lorne, Capt. Cutler, which left here yesterday for the Cape, picked the windjammer up and is towing her down the Sound. She is to load grain at Tacoma. According to the New York Maritime Register the Thistlebank sailed from the Argentine port on July 3 and has made a very long passage. No doubt she was caught in the terrific August gales off Cape Horn and fell in with calms in equatorial latitudes.

MORE WORK FOR ASSIZES

Three Indictments Submitted to Grand Jury This Morning; True Bills Found in All.

Three new bills of indictment were committed to the grand jury this morning by Mr. Justice Gregory, sitting in the assize court. These charge Bert Gregor with attempted murder, James Griffin with the robbery of a gold watch and chain, and Thomas Alexander with the theft of one cow, the property of the Dominion of Canada.

These cases all arose since the assizes opened, and as the accused men elected to go before a jury, and, of course, had a right to be tried at the earliest possible moment, the indictments were prepared and submitted to the jury. Only the fact that the Bankers' Trust case has been so prolonged has made this possible.

Shortly before adjournment the grand jury returned into court and announced that they had found true bills in all.

The hearing of the Sidney witnesses in the Bankers' Trust case continued this morning, among those heard being Henry Brethour, T. R. Davis, Peter N. Tester, Arthur Harvey and Captain William D. Byers.

The necessary papers in the reserved case in the matter of Rex v. Winsby, convicted of attempted bribery, have been perfected and the argument before the court of appeal will take place in Vancouver within the next few days. It is necessary that it be proceeded with before the close of the assizes, as Winsby has not been sentenced, pending the judgment on the point whether the indictment disclosed an indictable offence or not.

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PLAY WELL PRESENTED

"Officer 666" Pleases Audience as Presented by Williams' Players at Princess Theatre.

Officer 666, the well known and popular American melodramatic farce was well presented at the Princess theatre last evening by the Williams Players, who have managed to stage this cleverly constructed piece with considerable success. The many bewildering situations followed each other with intense rapidity and were watched with interest by a large audience.

As a good deal in the play depends upon the stage setting the company have expended much care and many pains upon this adjunct to a successful production; the walls last night were lined with pictures, many of them oil paintings of value, and amongst them a copy of Gainsborough's "Blue Boy" showed to great advantage.

The part of Helen was sympathetically delineated by Miss Page. Travers Gladwin, the young society man who has a mania for good pictures fitted Mr. Mitchell like a glove, while Mr. Sullivan played the part of Wilson, the burglar, with unusual spirit. The police force of New York was ably represented by Messrs. Belasco, Williams and Howard, while the rest of the company also did clever work.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS.

Steamer.	Master.	Tonnage.	Agents.	From.	Due.
Ajax	Thompson	4,478	Dodwell & Co.	Hongkong	Dec. 23
Awa Maru	Schimidza	3,912	Great Northern	Hongkong	Nov. 21
Buena Ventura	Fitzsimmons	3,065	Evans, Coleman & Evans	New York	Nov. 10
Crown of Arragon	Herschel	2,898	Balfour, Guthrie	Liverpool	Nov. 15
Chicago Maru	Goto	3,833	R. P. Rithet & Co.	Hongkong	Nov. 28
Cardiganshire	New)	....	Findlay, Durham & Brodie	Hull	March 15
Den of Airlie	Carrucha	3,736	Findlay, Durham & Brodie	Hull	Dec. 27
Empress of Russia	Beetham	8,789	C. P. R.	Hongkong	Nov. 22
Empress of Japan	Hopcroft	3,039	C. P. R.	Hongkong	Nov. 12
Glenroy		3,141	F., D. & B.	Hull	Feb. 27
Kentra	Turner	3,021	Evans, Coleman & Evans	Hongkong	Dec. 15
Mexico Maru	Kobyashi	3,763	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	Nov. 13
Malaspina	Fishery Cruiser			Greenock	Nov. 2[illegible]
Monteagle	Halley	3,983	C. P. R.	Sydney	Dec. 9
Marama	Rolls	3,982	C. P. R.	Hongkong	Dec. 2
Musician	Dunn	3,047	Balfour, Guthrie	Liverpool	Dec. 15
Makura	Phillips	4,921	C. P. R.	Sydney	Jan. 6
Merionithshire			F., D. & B.	Hull	Jan. 20
Minnesota	Carlick	13,3[illegible]	Great Northern	Hongkong	
Niagara	Morrisby	7,902	C. P. R.	Australia	Nov. 11
Protesilaus	Milbench	6,118	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool	Dec. 20
Strathairly	Kydd	2,783	Sugar	Suva	Nov. 15
Solveig	Bogh	2,399	F., D. & B.	Hongkong	Nov. 12
Shidzuoka Maru	Irisawa	4,080	Great Northern	Hongkong	Dec. 4
Siam (motor ship)		3,211	John Waterhouse	Antwerp	Jan. 1[illegible]
Titan	Evans	5,600	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool	Nov. 22
Tyrone			C. P. R.	Sydney	

DEEP-SEA DEPARTURES.

Yokohama Maru, G.N., Hongkong..Nov. 18
Empress of Japan, C.P.R., H'gk'g..Nov. 19
Mexico Maru, R. P. Rithet, H'gk'g..Nov. 25
Niagara, C.P.R., Australia ....Nov. 26
Ixion, Dodwell & Co., Liverpool ..Nov. 26
Awa Maru, G.N., Hongkong ......Dec. 2
Empress of Russia, C.P.R., H'gk'g..Dec. 3
Chicago Maru, R. P. Rithet, H'gk'g..Dec. 9
Monteagle, C.P.R., Hongkong ......Dec. 10
Marama, C. P. R., Australia ......Dec. 24

SAILERS COMING.

Battle Abbey, British barque, Newcastle, N. S. W. Sailed Oct. 18.
Alliance, Peruvian barque, Iquique.
Jas. Tuft, American barquentine, Newcastle, N. S. W. Sailed Sept. 18.

COASTING VESSELS.

From Northern Ports.

Camosun, U.S.S. Co., Bella Coola..Nov. 12
Prince Rupert, G.T.P., Granby Bay..Nov. 12
Prince Albert, G.T.P., Q. Charl'tes..Nov. 13
Prince George, G.T.P., Stewart ....Nov. 16

For Northern Ports.

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Princess Sophia, C.P.R., Skagway..Nov. 17
Prince George, G.T.P., Stewart ....Nov. 17

For West Coast.

Princess Maquinna, Holberg ....Nov. 20

From West Coast.

Princess Maquinna, Clayoquot ....Nov. 19

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Allan Line "Ionian"—Portland to Glasgow........Dec. 13
Cunard Line "Caronia"—New York to Liverpool........Dec. 13
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DOUKHOBOR REPORTS.

To the Editor: In a recent issue you made some comment on the report of the Doukhobor commissioner, based upon certain statements alleged to have been made by Mr. Pineo, a solicitor in the attorney-general's department. In justice to the commissioner and to Mr. Pineo I should be glad if you will kindly insert the following letter dealing with this matter which I have received from the attorney-general, and oblige

W. BLAKEMORE.

Office of the Attorney-General,
Victoria, B. C.,
Nov. 4, 1913.

Wm. Blakemore, Esq., City:

Dear Mr. Blakemore: I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 2nd inst., enclosing letter from A. M. Johnson to yourself as well as a clipping from the Nelson News dealing with the Doukhobor question.

I have taken this matter up with Mr. Pineo and he informs me that there is absolutely no foundation for the statements made, and particularly in connection with his remarks at the meeting held with the executive of the board of trade at Grand Forks.

I now return you Mr. Johnson's letter as well as the clipping.

Yours truly,
W. J. BOWSER.

"A"

This is the paper writing marked "A" referred to in the declaration of L. McL. Gould, sworn before me this 10th day of November, A. D. 1913.

ERNEST L. TAIT,
A commissioner for taking affidavits within British Columbia.

Dominion of Canada, Province of British Columbia, City of Victoria.

I, Leonard McLeod Gould, of the city of Victoria, in the province of British Columbia, secretary, do solemnly declare that (1) I am private secretary to W. Blakemore, Esq., and as such have knowledge of the matters hereinafter deposed to. (2) Attached hereto and marked "A" is a true copy of that certain original letter addressed to William Blakemore, Esq., under date of the fourth of November, 1913, from Honorable W. J. Bowser, Attorney-General of British Columbia.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath and by virtue of the Canada Evidence Act.

L. McLEOD GOULD.

Declared before me at the city of Victoria, in the province of British Columbia, this 10th day of November, A. D., 1913.

ERNEST L. TAIT,
A commissioner for taking affidavits within British Columbia.

OPTIMISM v. EXAGGERATION.

To the Editor:—In this morning's issue of the Daily Colonist is an article by the editor replying to certain criticism in regard to statements made in his paper from time to time. Now, some of these statements may have been made by pessimistic persons, but, on the other hand, there is the fact that the paper referred to indulges somewhat in "hot air" when referring to local occurrences, farming property, etc., and, in addition, I am sorry to say, muzzles criticism when such is directed against itself.

To exemplify: In last Sunday's issue I noticed a paragraph headed, if I remember rightly, "Profits of Poultry Farming on Vancouver Island," which stated that a local farmer had received over $3,000 from 700 fowls in 12 months. I have had many years' practical experience in chicken farming, and I wrote to the editor pointing out that such a statement as this was very misleading to ignorant or careless readers, and that it would be interesting to know what the working expenses of the fowl farm were, inclusive of charge on capital invested, and upkeep of the farmer himself. The almighty "We" calmly ignored my letter, while very likely saying to himself, "confound these newcomers with their criticisms." Now, I object to being kicked and not returning it, and I ask you, sir, in common fairness, to publish this letter, and I repeat that, having made such a statement re profits in fowls, the Colonist should be prepared to prove it. Just one or two more small examples of exaggeration (shall we call it?) and I have finished, for the present.

It is well known and acknowledged by all fair-minded men that things are very, very bad in this city at present, and that a very heavy exodus has been going on since the commencement of this year, mostly to Australia, the boats to that country being very full. One of the last to leave carried no less than 400 passengers from this port, and the Colonist, instead of keeping quiet, makes matters worse by an explanation to this effect that this number was made up of some tourists, others going away to escape the rigours of the winter (!) and others again returning to Australia, from whence they had come to see what the country was like! This sort of thing does not blind the public in the long run, although it suffices for a time. Once more. A man remarked to me, after reading an article on the Winnipeg apple show, that to people in England it would convey the impression that the best apples on show were grown here. There is a great tendency to confuse Vancouver city with Vancouver island, and few in England realize that Victoria is not on the mainland, but isolated on this little island. It would be wiser if the Vancouver island (Merchants') Development League were to issue circulars, and write to the home press, drawing attention to the fact that only people with a decent amount of capital and business experience are required on this island, and no others. As it is, all sorts of professional, business and tradesmen have been passing in, for whom there are no openings, and the result is that those who can leave do so, and one can imagine how they speak of this part in England and Australia, while others are stranded in this city, and faced with utter poverty. Does the editor of the Colonist think that the list he publishes in his paper of men wanting work represents anything like the real number of unemployed? Why I venture to say that there are scores who, although willing to do anything for a living, are too proud to be advertised as paupers. Optimism is healthy and right, without which neither a nation nor an individual can make a success of life, and no one looking round this fair city, or travelling inland and considering its geographical position, can doubt of the future prosperity of Victoria and Vancouver Island, but the fact must be faced that, at present, times are very bad here, and will be, I fear, for many a month yet, and all the "boosting" in the world cannot alter this matter, nor will exaggeration help us, but rather the reverse.

W. B. COLLYER.

1118 Pandora avenue, Victoria, B. C.
Sunday, Nov. 9, 1913.

PRODUCTION OF GOLD.

To the Editor:—Recently there have been published statements concerning the production of gold in Atlin district, in British Columbia as a whole, and in Yukon Territory, respectively.

As to Atlin—it has been stated that the 1913 production of gold shows the highest value in twelve to fourteen years. Another statement was that the 1913 total is the highest since 1899. The following table gives the official yearly totals of value since production was commenced in 1898:

Year.	Value.
1898	$ 75,000
1899	800,000
1900	450,000
1901	300,000
1902	400,000
1903	440,000
1904	538,000
1905	475,000
1906	455,000
1907	408,000
1908	293,000
1909	290,000
1910	275,000
1911	225,000
1912	290,000
Total	$5,526,000

It will be seen that each of seven years out of fifteen had a total in excess of $400,000. The yield for 1912 was valued at $290,000. It may be that for 1913 has been more than fifty per cent. greater, but it will be well to await official confirmation before accepting the statement as a fact. I remember one enthusiastic gentleman, when, several years ago, he came down from Atlin, announcing that the year's production of that camp had been about $1,000,000, but it transpired that he had seen double—it was less than $500,000. Yet he had spent the whole season in the camp and might reasonably have been supposed to be within measurable distance of fact, but unfortunately was not.

In this evening's Times Dr. A Thompson, M. P. for Yukon, is quoted as having stated that "In the last sixteen years between 160 and 170 millions of dollars' worth of gold has been mined in the Yukon, which is considerably more than has been taken from British Columbia soil in the last sixty years. The total output of British Columbia in six decades is somewhere in the neighborhood of 140 millions." The worthy doctor is a little out in his Yukon figures. The official report of the Canada Department of Mines shows an aggregate of $146,503,732 as the value of Yukon's production of gold in 28 years—1885-1912. Of this aggregate, the value of the yield of 16 years—1897-1912—was $144,965,232, so the doctor is only $15,000,000 to $25,000,000 out. British Columbia's aggregate production of gold in 55 years is on official record as $143,053,625. Of this, $72,194,603 is the value of placer gold for that period—1858-1912—and $70,859,022 that of lode gold for 20 years—1893-1912.

Since comparison is in order, let me make one—Yukon's production of gold in five years, 1908-12, has been $22,314,232; that of British Columbia $28,433,805.

E. JACOBS.

Victoria, Nov. 10, 1913.

STATEMENTS CHALLENGED.

To the Editor:—Our attention has been drawn to an article in your issue of 7th Nov. headed "Chinese Supply Food at Breakwater Work," which contains gross mis-statements and inaccuracies which we cannot allow to pass unchallenged.

The number of men employed at present at Albert Head quarry is 175, not 200 as stated.

We have no contract, written or verbal, with the caterer, who was already installed at the camp previous to our taking it over from the Producers' Rock & Gravel Co., and he has continued to provide the food supplies, cooking and serving of meals for the men up to date, but has nothing whatever to do with "the general care of their accommodations." In fact, we employ a white man for looking after the bunk houses.

The price paid per meal is 26 cents as stated, but the assertion that each man is charged one dollar per day for board, which includes, with his meals, a bunk on which to spread his blanket, is false.

Your statement: "Enquiry elicits the information that the supplies, particularly the hams and bacon, for this camp are not obtained at any of the local white firms," is pure fabrication; and your informant if he had called at our office could have been given the names of three of the leading local "white' firms from whom the whole of the supplies are obtained, and he could have ascertained from them that only the best qualities of food are supplied. As all supplies for the quarry are delivered at our works at Ogden Point and shipped over in our own craft, we have every opportunity of knowing their sources.

With reference to the remarks said to have been made by the boss cook—as these have about as much foundation as the other mis-statements in your article, they may be taken for what they are worth.

The whole truth of the matter is as follows: When we took over the Albert Head quarry and camp we found the Chinese caterer installed there, and, hearing that he was a reliable man and giving satisfaction, we allowed him to remain. When the number of men employed at the quarry commenced to increase we began to receive complaints at our office with respect to the catering. Strangely enough, these complaints all came from outside sources and not from men employed, who have every opportunity of ventilating any grievance, and in every case the complaints have been made either by a local white caterer himself or by somebody on his behalf, accompanied by his offer to take on the catering.

Our employees are under no compulsion to get their meals from the caterer; in fact, several prefer batching or making other arrangements for their meals.

The charge of 26 cents per meal is paid to the caterer without any deduction or commission. No charge whatever is made for accommodation, the men being provided with bunks, springs and mattresses free.

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LECTURER COMING.

L. W. Rogers, of New York, Will Give a course of Free Lectures on Theosophy.

The Victoria Theosophical Society is preparing for the coming of L. W. Rogers, of New York, national lecturer of the American Theosophical Society, who is to give a course of free lectures here on theosophical and occult subjects. Among the themes to be discussed are dreams, premonitions, clairvoyance, thought power, reincarnation, cause and effect as operating in mental and moral affairs, and the application of occult knowledge to daily life.

In his opening lecture, "Do We Survive Bodily Death?" Mr. Rogers will give his audience a description of the famous experiments of Sir William Crookes, and other scientists, upon which is based the claim that it has been scientificially proved that the human being survives death and continues his career in the immediate vicinity of the physical world, at least for a time. Other lectures to be given are: "Visible and Invisible Evolution," and "The Life Sublime."

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THE above is a view of Wellington Station on the P.E.I. Railway, and in the foreground is seen a little truck over which Mr. J. E. Arsenault, the station master, fell and sustained a bad cut on the front of his leg. He says: "I thought this would heal, but instead of doing so it developed into a bad ulcer and later into a form of eczema which spread very rapidly and also started on the other leg. Both legs became so swollen and sore that I could only go about my work by having them bandaged.

"I consulted a doctor, who treated the sores for a time, but they got no better, so he advised me to stop working. I did not want to do that, and consulted another doctor, having tried every remedy I could think of for six months without avail. The second doctor's treatment gave me no better results. The sores were very painful and continued to spread.

"I tried all the salves, liniments and lotions I heard of, but instead of getting better I got worse.

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SPORTING NEWS

GENGE AND ULRICH ON DECK

CARNIVAL FOR FRIDAY NIGHT

Victoria Club Starts Real Practice; Team Complete by End of This Week; Ottawas Want Throop

Victoria's hockey squad turned out at the Arena this afternoon for the initial practise of the season. Several preliminary workouts have been held, but to-day's workout was the beginning of the actual training season. Bob Genge, the sensational Fort William youth, arrived in the city this morning, while Silent Ulrich, the champion's utility forward, also reach the Capital to-day. The pair made their debut, together with Bert Lindsay, at the practise, and with the arrival of Tommy Dunderdale and Morris the end of this week, the Capitals will be complete. There is a deal pending whereby Victoria may get another player, but Manager Patrick is not at liberty to divulge the name of the latest possible recruit for the Senators.

Ottawas Want Throop.

Dispatches from the east indicate that Lalonde will again be seen on the coast, while the Patricks will certainly retain their claim upon Skene Ronan. The Ottawa club have written the coast officials, ratifying the trade of Ronan for Kendall. It is now stated that this eastern team are negotiating for the trade of Art. Throop, who was awarded to the New Westminster club by the N. H. A., and are willing to either buy this player or give another in exchange. The retirement is announced of Fred Lake, whom the Ottawas sold to the Ontario club, of Toronto, and there are a number of the Wanderer players who are holding out. Art Ross and Harry Hyland are among the number. The salaries have been sliced right and left in the east, none of the stars drawing over $1,000 for the season. This is a big difference from the coast league, where that sum is about the lowest paid.

Friday a Gala Night.

With regard to Friday night's carnival, Manager Lester Patrick wishes to state that in the forming up for the grand march all skaters in costume are requested to line up near the entrance, where Norval Baptie will take charge. Special music for the occasion will be rendered by Rowland's band and prizes will be given for the best costumes. There will be the usual comic awards also, and a big night is looked for. Victoria carnivals for the past two years have been features of the skating season, and special efforts are being made to make Friday's display a notable one. Skaters without costumes will be allowed upon the ice immediately after the grand march.

Calgary and Edmonton are contemplating erecting artificial ice plants and breaking into pro. hockey.

WAGNER QUITS

Pittsburg, Nov. 11.—Honus Wagner, the greatest shortstop the game ever knew, announced yesterday that he had played his last game of professional baseball. Wagner has retired before this, but it is believed that the Flying Dutchman is on the level and that he is lost to major league baseball.

RITCHIE DID NOT SHOW GREAT FORM

Cross Beaten by Champion in Tough Contest at New York —Both Badly Punished

New York, Nov. 11.—Willie Ritchie, lightweight champion of the world, defeated Leach Cross of this city in a ten-round battle which went the limit at Madison Square Garden last night. The men weighed in at 9 o'clock, both under the stipulated weight of 135 pounds. The ringside weights were announced as Ritchie 137 1-4 and Cross 136 1-4.

With the exception of the first round, which was even, and the eighth, in which Cross had a decided advantage, Ritchie had the honors. In the second, after a mixup, Ritchie fell backwards on his shoulders over Cross, who was in a stooping position. Though the fall was a heavy one, Ritchie did not seem to be much the worse for it.

Cross Floored.

In the third round Ritchie knocked Cross down twice, each time for the count of nine. The first fall was from a right smash on the jaw followed by a right half-uppercut. After Cross had regained his feet Ritchie rushed him across the ring, and put him down again with another right, which was more of a shove than a blow. When Cross got up he caught Ritchie with a hard left hook on the jaw. It almost lifted the champion off his feet. Cross, rushing again forced Ritchie to the ropes. It looked in this round as if Ritchie would win easily, but Cross was full of fight, and his power of recuperation surprised the western boy as well as the spectators.

From the fourth round to the end of the seventh Cross received most of the punishment, but he kept Ritchie busy, and the fighting all through was hard and fast. Cross apparently did not mind the stiff jabs he was receiving, contenting himself with waiting to use his deadly right swing. A chance to do so never came.

Ritchie Disappointing.

The eighth round was where Cross showed to the best advantage. He landed lefts and rights to the head and body, and also had the better of the infighting. He shook Ritchie from heels to head with a left hook to the jaw in this round. Ritchie's showing was not quite up to the standard of former lightweight champions who have been seen here. But Cross at all times is a puzzling fighter, no matter how good his opponent may be, and last night he fought with desperation at all stages in endeavoring to win Ritchie's title, which the westerner had placed at stake in this match.

TO-DAY IN PUGILISTIC ANNALS

1909—Frank Klaus outpointed Billy Papke in 6 rounds at Pittsburg. The "Illinois Thunderbolt" got the surprise of his life in his encounter with the Smoky City middleweight. Klaus started the trouble in the first round, staggering Billy with a punch to the jaw that brought the claret. Papke fought furiously and did his best to put over a knockout, but Klaus dodged his blows and had the better of the fighting in nearly all of the six rounds. Klaus himself was recently treated to a similar surprise party by George Chip.

1907—Cyclone Johnny Thompson and Kid Goodman fought a 12-round draw at Chelsea.

1910—Leo Houck defeated Frank Mantell in 15 rounds at Thornton.

ROVERS' FINE RECORD.

London, Nov. 11.—The Athletic News says that the performance of Blackburn Rovers, who beat Everton Saturday 6-0, and regained the lead in the English league, is remarkable. Never before in the annals of the league has Blackburn scored so freely against their old opponents. It was the biggest surprise of the season.

The game between Aston Villa and Manchester United, which was won by the former, was marred by rough playing, and many free kicks. Hamil, of the United, was ordered off the field.

MANY WANT BOUTS WITH JOE BAYLEY

Sammy Good Latest to Challenge Local Lightweight. Hyland Also in Line

Joe Bayley is going to be a pretty busy kid if all the boxers who are after the Canadian boy's scalp succeed in securing bouts with the local padded mitt artist. Sammy Good is harping for a bout through the Seattle papers. Just where Sammy is getting his ideas that he is a fighter is hard to guess. Good says that Bayley has run out of two matches with him. Now Ernie Barrieau has beaten Good a couple of times and it would appear as if it was a financial proposition for Bayley to turn down Good's offers for a bout.

Frank Barrieau has little chance of meeting Bayley because of the weight that the Vancouver boy packs, but Charley White may get another chance. The only thing that stands in the way of these bouts is that the Steveston Arena is a little chilly these days and it costs money to stage such battles.

"Fighting Dick" Hyland has left Seattle for Sacramento, Cal., where, on November 14, he is to box Johnny O'Leary in a contest of 20 rounds at 133 pounds ringside. Hyland was accompanied by his manager, Jack Kearns.

Immediately after the bout with O'Leary the fighting one will return to the Northwest, where he has matches partly arranged with Joe Hennessy, of Tacoma, and Joe Bayley, the former Canadian lightweight champion.

"That is one boy whom I could beat with one hand," says Bud Anderson, when discussing a match with Frankie Burns, which is the one he would like to make, although this seems doubtful.

SOX VICTORIOUS.

San Diego, Cal., Nov. 11.—In an exhibition game yesterday afternoon between the White Sox and the Giants, the White Sox won by a score of 4-3.

Cars for Hire, $3.00 per Hour. R. Walter Ure, phone R.1118.

HAL CHASE WILL PLAY AT SEATTLE

Presentation May Be Made When Former Victoria First Sacker Steps to Place

There is just a chance that when Hal. Chase, the former Victoria baseball star steps to the plate in the game Giant-White Sox at Seattle, on November 19, that he will be presented with some suitable token by the baseball fans of Victoria, who gave Chase his first sendoff in the capital. Eddie Gleason, who is arranging the excursion to Seattle, stated yesterday that he had been approached on the subject, and the presentation will likely be carried out. There are a number of old friends of Chase in the city, men who played with and against the famous first sacker when he was with the Senators. Chase is now out of the game with a strained ankle, but there is every possibility that he will be able to take his place at first base when the teams line up at Seattle.

Kid Gleason announces that the boat will leave for Seattle at 8.30 a. m., returning to the capital that night at 9.30 p. m. meals will be served on the boat and 500 tickets for the game will be placed on sale here a few days before the game.

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Pinky Grindle received a post card yesterday from Johnny Rawlings, the former Victoria infielder who is playing in a Texas baseball tournament. The "Jew" states that he is getting along finely, and expects to make good in the big show.

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Dick Kaufman has branched out into pool room business, and is the chesty owner of a grand palace in Tacoma that may enable him to give up baseball in a few years. Kellar is handling the change in the same emporium.

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One of the conditions that Dugdale signed up the Giants and White Sox on November 19 is that Mathewson will go into the box for the Giants, Big Six is sure to pull a big gate.

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Bob Brown, of the Vancouver team, has signed, for next year, Pitcher Kane, a southpaw who was with Oakland a couple of years ago.

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Manager McGraw, of the Giants, admits the truth of the rumor that Larry Doyle, Fred Merkle and George Burns are on the market. He demands more speed.

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John B. Williams, of Sacramento, leading twirler of the Coast League during the season of 1913, was married to Miss Alonza Rico, daughter of Bert Rico, a court bailiff. The bridal couple will leave to-morrow for San Francisco, where they will embark for Honolulu. Williams formerly pitched for the Bees.

SPORTING GOSSIP OF THE DAY

Hockey practises started at the Arena this afternoon.

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Prospects are exceptionally bright for the Victoria Tennis Club next season.

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Every regular member of the Victoria Hockey Club this season with the exception of Dunderdale is married.

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Dick Kaufman is retaining his control throughout the winter months by running a pool room.

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Vancouver claims an exceptionally strong Rugby fifteen for Saturday's big game against the Victoria representative team.

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It is hardly likely that Al. Davies will enter the coast amateur boxing championships to be held at Portland on Friday.

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Now that Willie Ritchie has met and defeated Leach Cross, it is up to him to dispose of Tommy Murphy and Freddie Welsh to be a real champ.

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Morris, the new member of the Victoria hockey squad, made quite an impression in the Boundary League last year.

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McGraw intends making a big clean-up this year. He is already after a bunch of sluggers.

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Ruby Robert, our office phenom, is away on a hunting trip, and reports great shooting on the MacDonald estate.

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With harder tennis courts Schwengers predicts that Victoria will be able to produce just as many tennis champions as San Francisco.

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Kolehmainer may be able to break all short distance records, but they have yet to beat Tom Longboat's mark of 1.17.10 for fifteen miles.

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Dugdale drafted a big bunch of players, but now he is losing them through the inner workings of the baseball commission.

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The result of the hockey match on Saturday, between the United Banks and the B. C. E. R. Co. Hotpoints was 7-0 in favor of the former team. Taylor of the B. C. E. R., played an exceptionally good game as goal-keeper.

MANY CASES DOWN.

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 11.—When the arbitration board of the National Association of Baseball Leagues met this afternoon one hundred and sixty-seven cases were on the list for consideration. In addition to filing his annual report Secretary Farrell presented the new demands of the Fraternity of Baseball Players.

HARD TENNIS COURTS FOR VICTORIA CLUB

Local Star Recommends Paved Courts; What Was Done at Annual Meeting

One of the most-discussed points at the annual meeting of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club last evening at the Alexandra Club was the sort of court to be put down when the new courts are opened. Mr. Garrett stated that he had had some correspondence with a French company in England with respect to quotations for En Tout Cas, a hard-court paving which had been recommended.

In order to open discussion and to sound the opinion of the meeting, J. G. Brown introduced a resolution to the effect that in the opinion of the meeting the new courts should be hard courts. This was passed.

Mr. Schwengers, on being asked for his opinion, said that he would like to see the hard courts. There was nothing worse than a poor grass court; a poor hard court was always better than a poor grass court. The former had the additional advantage of always providing two or three months' more play than the latter. All the best players, he thought, had been developed on the hard courts, and in England at the present time there was a great leaning toward the hard court, as a single tournament was found sufficient to spoil the best of grass courts. It might detract from the appearance of a court not to have grass, but players wanted play rather than nice-looking grounds. If Victoria put in hard courts they would get many more of the southern players, and this was a desideratum not to be overlooked.

Capt. Foulkes agreed with Mr. Schwengers about the more durable qualities of the hard courts, but pointed out that many of the championship games were played on grass. Hard courts were only used, he said, where grass was impossible.

Judge Lampman said that it might be to the interest of tennis to develop the young players, as one of the speakers had suggested that the hard courts were particularly good for, but he noticed that there were very few of such present at the meeting. The grass courts were easier to play on, and the older players were to be considered, so he would recommend grass courts.

Mr. Dickson pointed out that this was not a good tennis climate for playing on grass courts. When the grass was good the weather was often so windy that people could not play with any pleasure, and there were several additional open months when the weather was good but the grass was poor. Mr. Brown contended that the season at present was much too short through having only grass courts. Mr. McLaughlin seconded the motion introduced by Mr. Brown.

A suggestion was made during the evening by Capt. Foulkes that the name of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club should be changed to the Canadian Lawn Tennis Club, in view of the premier position which the local club held in the Dominion. Another point was introduced when Mr. Schwengers asked that some steps be taken to institute a system of rating players.

Another financial transaction of importance was the adoption of a resolution to raise $6,500 by the sale of debentures, with which money the newly-acquired grounds on Fowl Bay road will be paid for.

As some recognition of the achievements of the first Canadian Davis Cup team, all four members of the team, R. Powell, B. P. Schwengers, Capt. Foulkes and H. G. Mayes, were, by a unanimous vote, elected honorary life members of the club.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Honorary president, His Honor G. W. Paterson; honorary vice-president, the Honorable James Dunsmuir; president, W. P. Dixon; vice-president, F. J. Marshall; committee, A. Martin, J. B. Brown, A. Wheatley, G. L. Foulkes, W. H. Moore, Dr. Hudson, G. A. Kirk and V. C. Martin.

INDIANS TO RETAIN MANAGER LYNCH

Spokane, Nov. 11.—F. C. Farr, traffic superintendent of the traction company, announces that the railroad people have decided to retain control of the Northwestern League baseball franchise for 1914, and that he himself will continue as president of the company operating the team and director of the league.

He said that in all probability M. J. Lynch would continue also as playing manager, and that it was just a question of Lynch's acceptance. The job has been offered him.

Whoever manages the Spokane team for 1914 will spend a month or two in California scouting for young talent. Spokane picked up two brilliant youngsters, Pappa and Fitzsimmons, in this way last spring and sold both kids to major league clubs.

It is more than probable that the Indians will train in California.

THOUSANDS PAID FOR THE NEW PLAYERS

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 11.—John H. Farrell, secretary of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, to-day submitted his annual report to the association in session here. The report sets forth that the number of players drafted during the year from the minor leagues by the major leagues was 88, of which the National League drafted 45 and the American League 43.

Fifty-eight thousand eight hundred dollars was paid on optional agreements, and $7,200 was paid on the drafted players returnable under the rules. The amount paid for releases by purchase of National Association players was $188,250, and the grand total received through Mr. Farrell's office for drafted players, optional agreement players and released by purchase players was $481,500.

REMARKED ON THE SIDE

Is Kolehmainen Another Alf. Shrubb?

From the remarkable manner in which the Finn has been winning his races in and around New York, breaking a dozen or so records in these contests, there is every reason to believe that he will lower the records of even Alf. Shrubb, the wonderful little English middle distance runner whose name will go down to history as the grandest middle distance runner who ever laced on a shoe. In the American ten-mile championship, Kolehmainen stepped the route in 51.03 2-5, which is a little over half a minute slower than Shrubb's world's record and had he any opposition, the time would have been much better. Kolehmainen broke into the running game much the same as Shrubb, being a champion as soon as he stepped on the cinder path. He is a careful trainer and a clean-living athlete, so that even greater performances may be expected of him in the next few years, for he is as yet a very young man.

Ritchie Proves Himself a Grand Boxer.

Whatever may have been the trouble that caused the abandonment of the Ritchie-Welsh bout, the sporting fans will have to acknowledge that the 'Frisco lightweight is one of the finest exponents of the boxing art who has held the lightweight title in a decade. Johnny Kilbane, the featherweight title-holder, is not a slugger, and won the championship on points. Since then he has easily defeated all comers in his numerous short bouts. Ritchie has been severely criticized for his actions in skipping out of bouts and refusing to meet his eligible opponents. He announced a few months ago that he would meet all the top-notchers in succession and last night he started this whirl by getting the decision over Leach Cross in a ten-round contest. Cross has never been noted for his cleverness, though he is a decidedly shifty and hard-hitting lightweight. Many think that Cross would win by his punch in a long battle. Ritchie now states that he will meet Freddie Welsh, and until he clears away that affair at Vancouver, Canadians and even the greater number of Americans, will not admit that he is a real world's title-holder.

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SCOTT WILL PLAY AGAINST TERMINALS

Blaney Scott will replace Carstairs in the McKechnie Cup struggle between Victoria and Vancouver at the Terminal City on Saturday. Carstairs has found it impossible to reach the city in time for the game, and Scott will be found on the forward line. Scott is a very aggressive player, and especially good in the lineouts. Heinekey may be unable to play because of a wrenched shoulder, but if possible he will be pressed into the match.

Local officials deny that there is a possibility of the Vancouver and Victoria players forming a provincial team to play the All-Blacks, and they also state that they will refuse to give up either of the dates which have been allotted to Victoria.

There will be plenty of Rugby in the capital on Saturday, the High school and James Bay Athletic Association having completed arrangements for the visit of three McGill University teams. The senior McGill team will meet the corresponding division of the J. B. A. A.; the intermediate McGill team will play the second J. B. A. A. fifteen, and the juniors among the visitors will take the field against the High school. All three matches will be played at Oak Bay, the junior in the morning and the other two in the afternoon. It is possible that some sort of an entertainment will be arranged for the visitors to take place in the evening.

ALL-BLACKS LEAVE SUNDAY FOR NORTH

Secretary Scott, of the Victoria Rugby Union, received a wire from Manager G. H. Mason, of the New Zealand All-Blacks to the effect that the touring Rugby squad will leave 'Frisco Sunday night for Victoria. They will arrive at Seattle on Tuesday, November 18, and will come over to Victoria on the night boat, playing here on Wednesday, November 19. Arrangements for the All-Blacks during their stay in the capital have been left in the hands of Secretary Nicholson, of the Camosun Club, a former New Zealand Rugby star. They will stop at the Dominion hotel, and will be the guests of the Camosun Club during their stay. Manager Mason is bringing twenty-four players along.

It is just possible that Willis, a former New Zealand All-Black, who is connected with the Booke waterworks may get into the game here. Willis formerly played for the representative Wellington, N. Z., fifteen, and is an exceptionally fast three-quarter.

Phoenix Stout, $1.50 per doz qts.

SUNDAY CLOSING IS AGAIN IN LIMELIGHT

Council Decides to Approach Attorney-General Again Regarding Prosecutions

The question of the enforcement of Sunday legislation was brought before the city council last evening by a petition from a number of cigar stand keepers and fruit stand keepers, pointing out that it would be with difficulty that they could weather the storm this winter and urging that all prosecutions should be stopped till the attorney-general proceeded against all alike.

Some of the alderman disowned responsibility, saying that having decided on action, the department must take the onus of what prosecutions were launched, while Alderman Cuthbert declared that the city had been itself allowing men to work on the Spokane undertaking for months on Sunday, and had hired a band to give Sunday concerts.

On an amendment to the amendment, moved by Alderman Gleason, that the petition be received and forwarded to the attorney-general and that the petitioners be informed that the minister had been asked to enforce the act, Aldermen Gleason, Dilworth, McCandless and McNeill voted for; the amendment to the amendment thus being lost.

On the amendment of Alderman Cuthbert to ask the enforcement of the act of Charles II. without preference to anyone, Aldermen Cuthbert, Porter and Humber voted for it.

The same three aldermen voted against the motion of Alderman Meston proposing that the attorney-general be approached again on the subject. Thus the motion was carried.

Alderman Humber pointed out that he had been obliged to walk to the C. P. R. dock the previous day to get a cigar, and had found all the American newspapers sold out. American papers could be sold, and yet the morning newspaper in this city could not be disposed of on the streets, he declared. If this scheme was promoted to drive people into the churches, he expressed the hope that the churches would be empty in two years' time.

Alderman Cuthbert asked if the people were one whit better in Victoria as a result of the last three months' "persecution." He believed in the act of Charles II., which affected everybody.

Alderman McCandless thought the petition should have gone to the attorney-general direct. He believed in an enforcement of the law against everybody.

Alderman Meston moved a resolution which Alderman Fullerton seconded, that the minister be approached again on the subject.

Alderman McNeill considered that the foundations of the Dominion would be attacked if the Sunday observance of the Dominion was not observed as it was in Canada to-day.

Alderman Cuthbert was opposed entirely to any enforcement of the act. The Charles II. Act was fair to everybody, and he moved an amendment to that effect.

Alderman Gleason did not see that the council could go further, having already taken up an attitude on the subject. The attorney-general had taken the responsibility and the council must be acquitted. He moved an amendment to the amendment that the council should stand by its earlier attitude.

Alderman McNeill said the act of Charles II. was as dead as Charles II. himself. It was obsolete in England.

The division was then taken.

WOULD INTRODUCE COPPER COINAGE HERE

Local Council of Women Discuss High Cost of Living, Mothers' Pensions, Etc.

The matters discussed during the meeting yesterday afternoon of the Local Council of Women bore chiefly on the reports of the convenors of various committees, one of the principal subjects being the high cost of living. In this connection it was alleged that the absence of the cent from the coinage here was partly responsible for the high cost of living to the poor, who usually purchase their provisions in small quantities, and, with the present system of coinage, have to pay much more than they would otherwise have to do. At the present time the only manner in which any saving was to be accomplished by such means was through the use of the bread and the milk tickets which are available for economizing in these two articles. The dry goods merchant, however, extended nothing to correspond with this system, and the cost of the smaller articles in the course of time amounted to a considerable sum, it was pointed out.

On motion of Mrs. Gould, it was finally decided that the affiliated societies be asked to circulate the copper coinage here.

The matter of mothers' pensions was once more brought before the council by Mrs. Hanington, who pointed out the exact purpose of these: It was, she said, for the relief of women with small children who had either been left widows, deserted by their husbands, or through some misfortune to the breadwinner of the family, deprived of the means of providing the latter with proper food and care. Reference was made to the fact that they had been asked by the social service commission to work in conjunction with them in this matter, and that some solution of the problem was being sought.

During the afternoon Mrs. Gilbert read a report of the labor commission's proceedings, which she had, in company with Mrs. Mitchell, attended for three days. The chairman of the commission had promised to use his influence at the next session of the legislature for the appointment of a woman sanitary inspector. A further point having reference to the appointment of women to offices previously held only by men here, was introduced during the afternoon when Mrs. William Grant read the report as to the policewomen who were recently appointed. The appointment had been the outcome of an extensive correspondence between the chief of police here and the chiefs in the various cities in the Dominion where women were employed on police work. So satisfactory were the replies in all instances that the two women had been immediately appointed in this city.

The correspondence included a letter from Mrs. McGill, of Vancouver, with reference to a pamphlet on the laws of British Columbia as affecting women. The president reported that fifty copies had been ordered, and would be on sale to the representatives of the affiliated societies at twenty-five cents each. Another letter was from the editor of "The Canadian" with reference to a correspondent on matters relating to the work of the local council. Mrs. Donald consented to act.

During the afternoon Mrs. Hutchinson asked for an opinion about the use and upkeep of the women's building at the fair grounds, but the subject had to be left over until a future meeting.

TEMPLARS CELEBRATE.

Sidney Branch of I. O. G. T. Welcomes Victoria Delegates at Proceedings.

A large party of members of the Victoria lodges of the I. O. G. T. went out by special train last evening to Sidney to attend the first anniversary celebrations in connection with the International Order of Good Templars, the number being augmented by members from the district lodges who joined the excursion at Royal Oak and other points.

The Proceedings commenced at 8.30, J. Jackson, the chief templar of Sidney Lodge, occupying the chair and welcoming the visitors. After the conferring of the district degree on several members the proceedings were opened to the public, a ndseveral interesting speeches were delivered. The chairman welcomed the visitors, and outlined the progress made by the lodge during the year, which showed that a very satisfactory addition to the membership had been made.

Victoria greetings were brought by Past Grand Chief Rev. J. P. Hicks, who presided at the opening of the lodge a year ago, and who extended congratulations from the Victoria and District Lodges on the work done by the new brnch of the I. O. G. T. at Sidney.

During the evening a most delightful programme of songs, instrumental music, recitations, etc., was provided, and delicious refreshments were served before the conclusion of the proceedings.

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The cost of the Panama Canal is estimated at $375,000,000, a stupendous figure. Yet one lone item of the wealth of British Columbia, timber, is easily worth twenty times that amount. British Columbia has 300 billion feet of merchantable timber, according to the Chief Forester of the Province.

The entire yearly interest on the cost of building the Canal could easily be paid by the yearly production of another product of British Columbia, fisheries. In 1912 British Columbia produced $13,678,000 in fisheries products, or over one-third those of the Dominion.

Another source of British Columbia's wealth, mines, has produced over $400,000,000, or $25,000,000 more than the cost of the Canal. In 1912 British Columbia's mineral production amounted to $32,600,000.

British Columbia produced in 1912 over $300 for every man, woman and child in the Province. In the same year the United States produced $40,991,449,096, or only $216 per capita of its population.

British Columbia has, according to Professor Macoun, a recognized authority, over 13,000,000 acres of agricultural land.

Yet British Columbia, which is larger than the combined area of the States of Washington, Oregon and California, has only one-tenth the population of the three States named.

British Columbia has a population of about 400,000, or about one to the square mile. The adjoining State of Washington has seventeen.

Fully three-quarters of British Columbia's population is within 100 miles of the Canadian Pacific. This railway, barely skirting the United States boundary, serves only the southern part of the Province.

For 600 miles North of the Canadian Pacific British Columbia up to now has been without railway transportation. Yet it is in these 600 miles Professor Macoun estimates British Columbia has over five-sixths of her agricultural area of some 10,000,000 acres. Its other natural resources of mines, timber, water power and fisheries are so large as to be inestimable.

It is this vast, rich territory that will be opened to development and settlement when the transcontinental line of the Grand Trunk Pacific is completed in 1914. This railway will link Halifax, on the Atlantic, with Prince Rupert, on the Pacific.

In 1908 there was no Prince Rupert. Its site was an uninhabited island. To-day it is a city of over 7,000. Its assessed wealth in 1912 amounted to $19,618,755. This metropolis of the North was created by the Grand Trunk Pacific and sold to the public for about one-tenth of its present value only five years ago.

Prince George, like Prince Rupert, a Grand Trunk Pacific town, offered to the public last September, brought nearly Two Million Dollars in two three-day sales, held in Vancouver and Edmonton. Prince George, unlike Prince Rupert, is a city yet to be built. Nothing but absolute confidence in the Grand Trunk Pacific and its towns made these phenomenal sales possible.

Trains are now running east from Prince Rupert as far as Smithers, the first freight and passenger division headquarters, a distance of 226 miles. Smithers is practically half-way between Prince Rupert and Prince George and the only general division point between these two points.

Smithers, like Prince Rupert and Prince George, is a Grand Trunk Pacific town. Its site was chosen and is owned by the railway company. It was named by the company after its highest official, Mr. Alfred Waldron Smithers, Chairman of its Board of Directors. The Grand Trunk Pacific now offers to the public an opportunity to share in the prosperity that is bound to come with the development of this rich country; an opportunity for investment through the safest, cleanest and most satisfactory medium—lots in a rapidly growing community.

Smithers Is a Thriving Community To-Day

Smithers, which as late as last June had less than ten people has to-day a population of over 450. It has a bank, two newspapers, a sawmill, a large number of mercantile establishments, stores and homes. Seventy-five permanent, new buildings, are now under construction. An electric light plant and a modern water system will be installed shortly. Trains are running regularly to Smithers from Prince Rupert and every train brings new people and new settlers to this new city.

There is a substantial, solid reason for this wonderful growth of a town hardly four months old, even aside from the fact that it is a freight and passenger division headquarters of the Grand Trunk Pacific. The reason lies in the vast resources of the Bulkley Valley, of which Smithers is the dominating centre.

Bulkley Valley, which has, according to Government reports, 300,000 acres of agricultural land, is the first large agricultural area on the Grand Trunk Pacific East of Prince Rupert. With the growth of Prince Rupert Bulkley Valley is bound to become that city's chief source of food supply.

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Aldermen Who Made "Graft" Observations Object to Inquiry by Colleagues Into Allegations.

The city council found last evening, on the solicitor's advice, that as the government had refused to hold an inquiry into charges of graft recently made, the only course was by way of a select committee of the council itself.

Alderman Cuthbert renewed his objection to having the investigation stopped off in that manner. The mayor believed the only way was to have the city solicitor act as cross-examiner, before a select committee of the council.

Alderman Humber declined to be placed at the mercy of any colleague on the board, and believed the investigation should be made by an independent person. Alderman Meston believed the work could be finished in a short time, if the period covered by the inquiry was limited to this year.

Alderman Dilworth thought a competent and capable man was needed to handle the investigation.

Alderman McNeill and Alderman Dilworth both considered that the position suggested was unfair to the city solicitor. The former believed that the door was closed so far as the government was concerned.

Alderman Cuthbert was absolutely opposed to the period of inquiry being limited to 1913, and wanted an examination made with regard to the Canadian Mineral Rubber Company.

The subject was laid over till Alderman Cuthbert's motion on the subject is dealt with.

"READY MONEY."

No comedy of recent years has received more praise from the press of such great world centres as London, New York, Chicago and Boston than "Ready Money," which will be presented at the Victoria Theatre Thursday, November 18, under the management of William A. Brady. The novelty of its story, the rich satire of its lines, the thrills of its drama and the incessant merriment of its comedy involving a distinct farcical surprise at every turn combine in this unique play the best qualities a dramatist can supply for comedy, drama and farce. The best of it is, there is a strong love story as a background which makes the comedy and its enjoyment all the sharper in contrast. The love story is based on the proposition that no man can succeed without the help of the right kind of a girl.

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J. W. Finn, of Vancouver, is among the guests at the Empress hotel.

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R. J. Brown is among the guests at the Empress hotel from Toronto.

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W. J. Manson, M. P. P., is here and is registered at the Empress hotel.

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G. A. Henderson is here from Vernon and is staying at the Empress hotel.

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R. J. Lublinski is among the guests at the Empress hotel from Vancouver.

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Mrs. C. M. Birch has arrived from Toronto and is staying at the Empress hotel.

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Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Butler are staying at the Empress hotel from Port Angeles.

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F. C. Paterson and Mrs. Paterson are registered at the Empress hotel from Winnipeg.

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Donald McCallum is in the city from Grand Forks and is staying at the Empress hotel.

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J. B. Trumbull is here from San Francisco and is registered at the Empress hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart Moore are among the guests at the Empress hotel from Duncan.

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A. B. Mackintosh Gow, of Vancouver, is staying for a few days at the Empress hotel.

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Mrs. Mary Chadburn has arrived in the city from Vancouver and is staying for a few days at the Empress hotel.

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Mrs. Galbraith and Mrs. J. A. Dinsmore (nee Miss Galbraith) will receive Thursday afternoon and evening at 429 Belleville street.

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Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Bryant are at the Ritz hotel for a few days before taking up their residence in the Allendale apartments, Linden avenue.

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Mrs. W. G. Cameron will receive on Wednesday afternoon at her home, 1162 McClure street, and on the first and second Wednesdays of each following month.

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E. Jacobs, secretary of the Western branch of the Canadian Mining Institute, has left to attend the meeting of the Spokane and Montana section of the American Institute of Mining Engineers at Wallace, Idaho, on November 15.

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W. Fleet Robertson, provincial mineralogist, has returned to the capital after an absence of four weeks with the information that the metal mines of the province would probably have a greater output for 1913 than for last year.

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T. G. Holt, vice-president of the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway, was in the city yesterday from Vancouver and made a tour of inspection over part of the Island route. He also discussed general business of the line with Mr. Lewis, the divisional engineer.

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FIRST THINGS

The first application of the word "boycott" to social or industrial excommunication resulted from a riot which took place thirty-three years ago to-day, when Capt. C. C. Boycott, of Lough Mask House, in Mayo, Ireland, was besieged by the people, his laborers threatened, and supplies refused him by tradesmen. Capt. Boycott was the agent for Lord Erne, an Irish nobleman. He had given offence about agrarian matters to the people among whom he lived. The "boycott" against Boycott continued until 1881, when a company of sixty Orangemen organized a "Boycott" relief expedition," and, with an escort of troops, proceeded to Lough Mask farm, gathered the crops, and escorted Capt. Boycott to a region of greater security. The Mayo factor and farmer had for his sufferings the consolation of adding a new word to the English language. The boycott was adopted by trade unionists in both Great Britain and America. In the former it was made a crime in 1887, and in the United States the boycott has also been condemned by the courts.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Nov. 11.—5 a. m.—The barometer is high over this province, accompanied by fair, cold weather, while in California and Eastern Oregon rain is falling. The weather is fair and cold in the prairie provinces.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Wednesday.

Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and cold.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and cold.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, 34; minimum, 32; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, 32; minimum, 32; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, 28; minimum, 26; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, 18; minimum, 16; wind, calm; weather, part cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles S. W.; rain, .06; weather, cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, 40; minimum, 40; wind, calm; rain, .22; weather, rain.

Edmonton—Barometer, 29.80; temperature, 18; minimum, 18; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.76; temperature, 22; minimum, 20; wind, 14 miles S. E.; weather, part cloudy.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Monday:

Temperature.

Highest	49
Lowest	35
Average	42

Bright sunshine, 5 hours 30 minutes.
General state of weather, fine.

"THE HIGH ROAD."

Mrs. Fiske and the Manhattan Company, under the direction of Harrison Grey Fiske, are scheduled for an early appearance at the Victoria theatre Thursday, November 20, in Edward Sheldon's play of moral and political uplift, "The High Road." The play is described as a story of the spiritual progression of a woman born to surroundings of physical cruelty and soul starvation, who left them for the beauty that seemed to her the greatest good, but who, once she came to a realization of life's opportunities and responsibilities, found a career of regeneration in a self-sacrificing devotion to the world's weary and heavy laden. Mrs. Fiske won a brilliant triumph in the role last year and the success of the play led to its retention for the second year.

NEW YORK PLAY HAS VERY STRONG LESSON

Margaret Illington Has Fine Part in "Within the Law" at Victoria Theatre

No stronger indictment of courts where law is the fetish and justice a shadow could be found than in the stirring drama which was played for the first time in this city last evening on the boards of the Victoria theatre, impressed on the subjective mind of the playgoer with its series of thrilling situations and direct speech, it leaves a record that would be harder to efface than a palimpsest. It is one of the most poignantly human dramas which have ever been written.

The plot is too intricate to follow closely in a few sentences. It deals, broadly speaking, with a poor shopgirl of good education and unusually powerful mind, who is sent to prison for three years for a theft that she never committed. To the owner of the great emporium where hundreds like her work and wilt for less than a living wage she swears (before the darkness of the penitentiary swoons upon her) that she will make him pay in agony of mind for all that she has suffered when her debt to the state is paid.

How she does it is told in the next three thrilling acts.

Naturally the part of the wronged shopgirl, "Mary Turner," falls to Margaret Illington, whose magnificent elocution is not unknown to Victoria playgoers. It is a part that is admirably suited to her versatility in that it involves a wide range of varied emotion and action.

As "Agnes Lynch," Hilda Keenan accounted for the most of the comedy, which served to brighten the play. Miss Keenan has been here before in a similar part in the "Collage Widow," but she enjoyed a little personal triumph last night with her clever acting and with the rich American slang which she unrolled. Frank E. Camp played the role of the chief crook, "Joe Garson" with a quiet intensity which was more effective than the loudest bluffness. He used, in the murder of the betrayer, a pistol fitted with a Maxim silencer, which is employed as a stage property for the first time. Joseph Slaytor was no less effective in his portrayal of Inspector Burke, while the parts of the rich store-owner and his son were well handled by Howard Gould and Robert Elliott respectively.

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SUGGESTS ADVANCES ON VALUE OF LAND

Social Service Commission Discusses Unemployment Question

The question of unemployment in Victoria and the surrounding districts formed the greater part of the discussion at the meeting Monday afternoon of the Social Service Commission, which was held at the Y. M. C. A. under the chairmanship of Rev. Dr. Campbell, in the absence of the president, Bishop Macdonald, who was unable through illness to be present.

The secretary called attention to the violation of the Lord's Day Act by the British Columbia Electric Company, whose men were reported to be working on Sunday in hauling materials in connection with some construction work. On motion of Rev. T. W. Gladstone the matter was referred back to the Lord's Day Alliance, the resolution also embodying a clause having reference to an arrangement whereby police would be released from duty one day out of the seven.

In discussing the miners' strike and the recommendation of the committee on this matter that the Dominion government should be urged to enforce arbitration, Rev. Dr. Clay pointed out that the Lemieux Act made it illegal for any body of men to strike before asking for mediation. The recommendation was made that the Dominion government should be approached and asked for legislation that would facilitate the settlement of strikes when they got beyond four or six weeks' duration. Another important movement was made in this connection when the committee was empowered to draw up a petition to submit to the Dominion government asking for clemency of the crown for those who were sentenced in connection with the recent trouble at Nanaimo.

The question of unemployment brought forth some startling statements as to the serious nature of the question in the city and surrounding districts, Rev. Mr. Flinton, of St. Mark's church, and Rev. Mr. Thorpe, of the Douglas Street Baptist church, presenting some concrete instances which had come to their experience recently of cases of actual destitution and want. The former, in an earnest talk to the commission, urged that something should be done at once to see that work was provided for the unemployed; if some steps were not taken along these lines immediately, whatever was done would only result in making for the pauperization of the people such as resulted when soup kitchens and other charities were instituted. He suggested that some of the vacant land being held up for real estate speculation should be opened. Many people had come here from the Old Country in the hope of getting land to cultivate, on the strength of the advertisements published there by the government, but when they got here the price of land was absolutely prohibitive. He would suggest that the government should advance wages to the men on the value of the land. The condition of unemployment was not temporary; labor bureaus might be established for farm hands. This had been tried in the Old Country with success. In the winter season there would be new employments found, such as cutting cordwood; on the Esquimalt & Nanaimo railway there were many acres of land uncleared. Some measures should be taken for the closing up of gambling in property.

Mr. Inkster referred to the opening of the city employment bureau. Dr. Scott said he rather favored the suggestion of approaching the government, as it had indirectly encouraged immigration, and it was a serious thing to make the city responsible for the immigrants when they arrived. If the government had work contiguous to the city, then he thought it should be asked to give this out to laborers at once in order to relieve the present condition.

Rev. Mr. Warnicker also referred to the constant applications for work which he was receiving, and he believed the time had come when British Columbia should not be advertised as freely as it was in England and eastern Canada. Mr. Thorpe cited cases of destitution and actual want of food which he had come across during the past week in Saanich district, and said he felt if there was not some immediate relief from some quarter they would have to open a soup kitchen. The government, he too thought, was responsible to a large extent for the manner in which they were advertising in the papers of the Old Country. Rev. Robt. Connell said it was not a matter for the "consideration of a committee." Starving people could not wait for action of the kind. If the trouble, as pointed out by previous speakers, lay outside as well as inside Victoria, then it was certainly a matter for the government rather than for the municipality. The agent-general should be asked to cease advertising the province; any government worthy of the name long ago would have put its promises into practice. The social service commission should get down to business at once, and it might be well to get the evidence of some of those men who had come from the Old Land on the representations made by the advertisements about British Columbia. He did not believe in going to the government with an air of extreme courtesy; he believed in letting them know clearly that they, the government, were the servants of the public, and that recommendations put before them would have to be considered.

The Dean of Columbia also endorsed the opinion that it was a matter of extreme urgency, and suggested that the various municipalities affected should be approached. Later on he would also like to see some associated charities' movement considered by the commission for the purpose of preventing the overlapping of work. Rev. Mr. Inkster said that he thought the bureau instituted recently would serve that purpose.

Rev. Dr. Clay read a report as convenor of the committee on the widows' pensions, which was adopted, and was followed by a very interesting paper on the same subject, prepared and written by Mrs. H. C. Hanington, and read by the Rev. E. G. Miller. The paper was comprehensive, and referred to the various countries where some system of providing mothers' pensions was in vogue, also quoting the opinions of some of the greatest students of sociology on the subject of providing for the children who were to later become the citizens of the country. A resolution of thanks, on motion of the dean, was later passed by the meeting to Mrs. Hanington for the care with which she had prepared her excellent paper.

Rev. I. W. Williamson during the afternoon delivered his report on the work about to be undertaken in connection with taking a Sunday school census of the city and surrounding districts. The committee on women and children was assigned to take over the matter of forming a fund for Christmas cheer for the miners' children at Ladysmith, Nanaimo, Wellington, etc.

Among the final matters of business was included the passing of resolutions of sympathy on behalf of Bishop Macdonald, the Rev. Mr. Fatt and Rev. Dr. Reid, all of whom were unable, through illness, to attend.

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INTERCHANGING WORK TO AID UNEMPLOYED

Men Will Work For City in Two Week Shifts—Cannot Shorten Hours

"It is a lie," said a voice at the rear of the city council chamber last evening when the city engineer's report on the unemployment question was read, making certain recommendations as to the work.

The mayor had the interruptor put out by the janitor, the protest being continued to the door. The reading of the report was interspersed with hisses from the rear of the hall, certain persons not approving of its contents.

Mr. Rust reported that in the case of the men employed on garbage collection and on park and boulevard work he would recommend that no change be made, as these men, from the nature of their work, were not continually under the eye of a foreman, and, of necessity, only trustworthy men could be employed. In the maintenance and street cleaning department it could be arranged that the men be changed every two weeks, thus giving employment to an additional 100 men. On the sewer work the men could be changed every two weeks, but he proposed to apply this only to laborers, and make no change in the bricklayers, pipelayers or timbermen, who were necessarily experienced men. While this would add considerably to the cost of the work, it would furnish work to about 180 men.

The engineer explained that the reason he advocated a change every two weeks was because it would avoid complication in the treasurer's office, and also save the expense of making out additional pay rolls. Only a few men could be employed at first on the northwest sewer work, as the first work would be on the rock tunnel. Arrangements were now being made with the Canadian Northern Pacific railway for right-of-way through the Gorge Ravine, and, if this was arranged, a small gang of about twenty-five men could be put to work.

Mr. Rust also stated that he is dispensing with the services of all single men and also those residing outside the city limits. It is proposed to make the qualifications of the men given work a six months' residence in the city, with married men and voters first. The registration of the men would take place at the Yates street yard, and care would be taken to investigate their records through A. G. Robertson.

The engineer did not encourage Alderman Fullerton's suggestion to cut the hours down to six, or even five hours. Under present conditions it was impossible to bring the system into being with the present short hours.

The council also decided to approach the government in order to secure some understanding as to what authority was responsible for the introduction of needy and destitute cases from Eastern Canada, the Middle West, the American side, and the old country on the plea that Victoria was a good place for business under existing conditions.

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William Bauchop Wilson, Member of Pres. Wilson's Cabinet, in City for Few Hours Yesterday.

A member of President Wilson's cabinet, namely William Bauchop Wilson, secretary of labor, paid a flying visito to Victoria Sunday on his way to Seattle. He was accompanied here by his son and secretary, Robert J. Wilson, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomson, the latter of whom are making the trip for the purpose of seeing the country.

The party went on to the great labor convention in Seattle.

Accompanied by Hon. Abraham Smith, American consul in this city, and Sherman J. Burford, commissioner of immigration for the province, the secretary of labor made a tour of the city "en automobile," looked over Beacon Hill park and proceeded to the Uplands.

During his brief stay he spoke strongly in favor of the retention of immigration officers.

Essentially a man's man, Mr. Wilson had been a mine worker and is thus closely in touch with the laboring people, and can more easily sympathize with their aims and life. He was born in Blantyre, Scotland, fifty-one years ago and came to the States when eight years of age. He was president of the district miners' union for some time and was a member of the national executive board which organized the United Mine Workers of America just twenty years ago. He was secretary and treasurer of the National Union of Miners from 1900-8 and was also a member of the 60th to the 62nd congress, 1907-13.

Mr. Wilson left for Seattle on the Sunday afternoon boat.

In China the imports of cigarettes continue to increase by leaps and bounds, notwithstanding increased production by tobacco factories in China.

MEETINGS

Fairfield Methodist Ladies. — The Ladies' Aid of the Fairfield Methodist church will hold a bazaar and concert on the afternoon and evening of November 26.

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Native Sons Meet.—A meeting of members of Post No. 1 of the Native Sons of B. C. will be held in the Knight of Pythias hall, 840 North Park street, at 8 this evening. Considerable routine business will be transacted.

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Sewing Meeting.—A sewing meeting, to which all the ladies of the First Congregational church are invited, will be held on Friday afternoon at 2.30 at the residence of Mrs. McCain, 1054 Southgate street.

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Sale of Work.—There will be a meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Congregational church to-morrow afternoon at 2.45 in the church parlor for the purpose of arranging a sale of work to be held on December 3.

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Talk on Prison Life.—G. T. Menzemer will give an address on prison life in James Bay Methodist church at 8 o'clock this evening. He will deal with the life of the convict, his treatment, the different ways of punishment, and his joys and sorrows.

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To Give Lectures. — The Rev. Dr. Campbell is to begin a course of lectures next Sunday evening at Erskine Presbyterian church on the following subjects: "Is there a God?" "Is the Soul of Man Immortal?" "Did Christ Rise from the Dead?" "Shall Friends Know Each Other in Heaven?" "Infant Salvation, or Are All who Die in Infancy Saved?" "The Life of Jesus, or Was There Ever Such a Man?" Erskine church, which is under the supervision of Dr. Campbell, is in Fairfield.

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Sings This Evening. — Miss Jennie Taggart will sing to-night at the St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. Many Victoria music lovers are expected to take this opportunity of hearing the famous Scottish soprano. One of the numbers of Miss Taggart will be Mendelssohn's "Hear My Prayer," accompanied by a choir of 45, and other equally fine solos will be heard. We are sure of a good audience, as many people have heard Miss Taggart as soloist of the Sheffield Choir on their last tour throughout Canada.

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Meet on Thursday. — The subject to be considered at the meeting of the Victoria branch of the Imperial British Israel Association at the Congregational Church building, Quadra street, next Thursday evening at 8, is "The British identified as Abraham's seed, and heirs, with the Jews, to the Promised Land, a phase of the Eastern question overlooked by the Powers looking to the partition of Bible Lands."

VARIETY THEATRE OPENS.

Continuous Vaudeville and Pictures to Be Shown in Old Kinemacolor.

Under the new name of the Variety Theatre the former house known as the Kinemacolor will re-open next Monday under entirely new management. A continuous performance of vaudeville and moving pictures is to be given from 1.30 p. m. until 11 p. m., a single show lasting for about an hour and a half. There will be two acts of vaudeville interspersed with the moving pictures, the vaudeville acts changing twice a week and the pictures three times. The shows will follow on after each other as rapidly as they can be put through.

Some changes have been necessary in the back of the theatre to accommodate the new style of performance, but these have all been effected now and the theatre will open with an excellent performance on the afternoon of November 17. A feature of the variety will be its popular prices, 10 cents being the universal charge at the box office.

Partnership Alleged.—An injunction order was asked for to-day by Thornton Fell, K. C., acting on behalf of Charles J. Brown, photographer, to restrain Fred Wells, shoemaker, from interfering with his business pending the trial of an action which Wells has instituted for a dissolution of partnership and division of assets. The affidavit of the petitioner gives an emphatic denial to the allegation that any partnership exists. An affidavit made by Wells and read by L. C. Mills, his counsel, sets out that in September of last year they had agreed to go into partnership, he being an amateur photographer. Mr. Justice Murphy pointed out that if he was to appoint a receiver for this small business there would not be much left, and he suggested that he hear the action at once. This was agreed to and it will probably come before his lordship to-morow. In the meantime counsel agreed that the men would keep away from each other.

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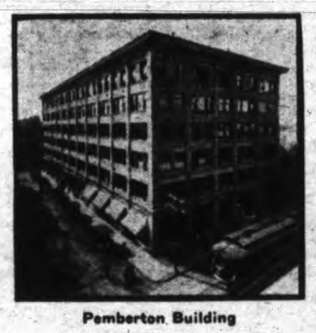

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In his official report of the engagement, Lieut.-Col. Morrison, the commander of the Canadian troops, modestly gave all the credit for the victory to the strategic ability of his officers and the bravery and calm courage of his men. The original report is preserved in the Dominion archives. The ink has faded to a pale yellow, and in places the document has become illegible. Coming as it did after the victory at Chateauguay, the battle of Crysler's Field aroused Canadians to patriotic enthusiasm and gave them a new access of hope and courage. The American victories on Lake Erie and in the battle of the Thames had left Canada open to invasion and plunged the people into the depths of despair. The American campaign of invasion involved 15,000 men, and these were turned back by forces numbering only about 2,000.

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November 11 is the birthday of the Rt. Rev. William Cyprian Pinkham, who was Manitoba Protestant public schools superintendent, Archdeacon of Manitoba, Bishop of Saskatchewan, and Bishop of Calgary, 1844; of Hon. Amedee Emmanuel Forget, Lieutenant-Governor of the Northwest Territories and first Lieutenant-Governor of Saskatchewan, at Marieville, P. Q., 1847; and of Prof. William Scott Ferguson, historian, son of Senator Donald Ferguson, at Marshfield, P. E. I., 1875.

SCRAP BOOK.

Martinmas is Supposed to Bring Renewal of Summer.

According to ancient traditions prevalent in England, Scotland, France and North America, Martinmas, which falls to-day, is supposed to usher in a brief period of warm and sunshiny weather, which Europeans call St. Martin's Summer, and which is designated Indian Summer on this side of the Atlantic. This fleeting revival of the halcyon season does not always come according to schedule, but the meteorological records of Great Britain, France and some parts of this continent prove that the weather is most often clear, and sometimes unseasonably torrid, during this period. In this case scientific observation partially supports popular tradition.

The calm, balmy and hazy period of late autumn known to Americans as Indian Summer is particularly noticeable in the upper Mississippi valley, although occasionally extending northward to Canada and eastward to the Atlantic. The haze is supposed to be due to thin smoke or fine dust which floats close to the surface of the earth in the still atmosphere.

Martinmas, or St. Martin's Day, falling on the eleventh of November, was for centuries a holiday in Scotland and England and in France. It commemorates a saint who was born in Hungary, the son of a Roman military tribune, about sixteen centuries ago. Hundreds of legends cluster about the name of St. Martin, Bishop of Tours, but the favorite relates to his division of his cloak with a naked beggar.

THE HUMAN PROCESSION

Italians everywhere will hoist the green, white and red flag of the united Italy to-day, in honor of the forty-fourth birthday of their monarch, Vittorio Emanuele III. His elevation to the throne in 1900 was under tragic circumstances, as his father, Umberto I., was assassinated. He found a country politically disorganized, and in the throes of financial depression, with many of her people reduced to the verge of starvation, and all who possibly could do so seeking refuge in emigration to North and South America. During Victor Emmaunel's reign prosperity has been almost fully restored, the tide of emigration has been greatly abated, and, as the fruits of a successful war against the Turks, a large section of the North African coast has been incorporated with the kingdom.

The Italian King is the most intellectual of monarchs, and is known as "the walking encyclopedia." The study of rare coins is his hobby, and his numismatic collection is among the finest in Europe, and rivals the stamp collection of King George. He has written a book on the history of numismatics which is accepted as an authority. The King is also well supplied with the current coin of the realm, as his civil list amounts to over $3,000,000 a year. Much of this sum goes for the upkeep of royal palaces and parks, which he seldom visits.

In his youth the King was delicate and fears were entertained for his life, but the adoption of a Spartan regimen saved him for his country. His wife, Queen Helena, is a daughter of Nicholas I., of Montenegro. They are said to be a most devoted couple. Their only son, Prince Umberto, is now in his tenth year, and they also have three daughters.

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Millions of admirers all over the English-speaking world, will join to-day in silent but heartfelt congratulations to Miss Maude Kiskadden, one of the most talented and personally the most popular of American actresses. It may be as well to mention, however, that Miss Kiskadden, who will celebrate her forty-first birthday to-day, is known on the stage as Maude Adams.

Miss Adams is unique in many ways, and not the least in that she has never married. While her contemporaries of the stage have vied with each other in seeking to establish new matrimonial records, Miss Adams has remained sternly aloof from the altar, although she could doubtless number her proposals by the hundreds. This attitude toward matrimony is all the more peculiar because Miss Adams was born in Salt Lake City, famed the world over as the headquarters of Hymen. Indeed, the gifted actress seems hopelessly wedded to her art, to the exclusion of mere man.

Miss Adam's father was James Kiskadden, of Irish descent, and her mother, Annie Adams, an actress of the same stock that gave the United States two presidents, John and John Quincy Adams. The star among American actresses made her stage premiere at the age of nine months. Her mother was leading woman with a Salt Lake City stock company, which produced a play called "The Lost Child," in which the infant Miss Adams appeared in the title role. As a child she often travelled about with her mother, when not attending school, and in San Francisco she played in one of the first dramas of David Belasco, who had risen from call-boy to stage manager and playwright. No other living actress shrinks from publicity so much as Miss Adams, and no other has ever had so much thrust upon her. As "Peter Pan," as the pathetic hero of "L'Aiglon," and in a dozen other roles Miss Adams has made such an appeal that newspaper and magazine writers simply can't keep from writing about her.

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ROOM AND BOARD, $7; 10 minutes P.O. 121 Menzies. Phone 4240R. d3

GOOD ROOM AND BOARD, on car line. Cook street, near Fort, $7 per week. 813 Cook street. d2

ROOM AND BOARD, 2520 Rock Bay Ave. Phone L2159. n22

THE LORAINE, 506 Government. Good board and residence. One block from Parliament Buildings. n21

JAMES BAY HOTEL—South Government street, residential hotel, fine location, opposite Beacon Hill Park, only 4 blocks from Post Office and boat landings, 100 rooms, modern throughout; single or en suite, American plan; excellent cuisine; weekly rates from $12.50. Phone 2304.

ROOMS, with or without board, for one or two gentlemen; terms very reasonable; close in. 735 Princess Ave (off Douglas). Phone L1382.

FIRST-CLASS business people's boarding house, every modern convenience, good table, 1054 Regent St., corner Cook, between Pandora and Mason Sts. Phone L5066.

FOR SALE LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—One quiet driving horse, about 1,150 lbs.; price seventy-five dollars. Apply Mrs. R. G. McKenzie, Lake Hill Farm. n17

HORSES FOR SALE—Several horses, suitable for teaming or farm work, for sale; also sets of harness. The Barn, Craigdarroch, Fort street, Victoria. Phone 4936. n14

FOR SALE—One of the best of cows, value $175. Phone 1005L. n11

EXCHANGE

EXCHANGE—2 splendid residential lots, worth over $5,000, for small ranch or acreage; clear deeds. Box 435, Times. n12

EXCHANGE—6-room house in Fairfield to exchange for lots. Eagles, Mahon Block. Phone 3273. n12

I HAVE quite a list of exchanges, my own and other people's stuff. Bring yours in, we might make a deal. Eagles, Mahon Block. Phone 3273. n12

EXCHANGE—Apartment block of eight suites, bringing in good revenue; will exchange for good building lots at builders' prices. Post Office Box 1467. n12

FOR EXCHANGE—$7,000, new, nine roomed house for acreage. C. N. W., 32 Dupplin road, Maywood P. O. No agents. n11

FOR EXCHANGE—Saanich, 15 acres, partly cleared, 6-room house, good soil, fine location; price $10,500; will take city property as first payment up to $8,000. Dunford's, 311 Union Bank Bldg. n11

FOR EXCHANGE—5-room bungalow; will take equity in lot as first payment. Dunford's, 311 Union Bank Bldg. n11

FOR EXCHANGE—Oak Bay, new 8-room house, $5,400; will take equity in a couple of Oak Bay lots as first payment. Dunford's, 311 Union Bank Bldg. n11

FOR EXCHANGE—Several 5-room bungalows for exchange at moderate prices. Dunford's, 311 Union Bank Bldg. n11

WE WANT PROPERTIES to exchange. Dunford's, 311 Union Bank Bldg. n11

BUILDERS, ATTENTION—We have a lot with sufficient frontage for five small houses to trade for small house or bungalow; equity $2,300, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Monk, Monteith & Co., Ltd., Government and Broughton Sts. Phone 1402. n12

EXCHANGE—Five acres and some cash for motor truck. Box 318, Times. n11

FOR EXCHANGE—A house in James Bay for agreements of sale or mortgage. Apply Box 5600, Times. n12

FOR RENT—HOUSES (Unfurnished.)

FOR RENT—Modern 8-room house, furnace heat, on Fort street. Phone 1126L. n17

A MODERN, 5 roomed house, on Wilson street, fruit trees on lot, $30 per month. Monk, Monteith & Co., Ltd., Government and Broughton. Phone 1402. n12

TO LET—4-room house, $12. Apply Capital City Realty. n11

FOR RENT—$12 per month, five roomed cottage, 1525 Belcher avenue. n12

FOR RENT—5-room, modern house, $16.50 per month; 8-room, modern, $26 per month; two 4-room houses, $12.50 per month. Dunford's, 311 Union Bank Bldg. n11

TO RENT—New house, with all modern conveniences, 1426 Pembroke street. Apply 1430 Pembroke street. n11

TO LET—Three roomed, partly furnished house, few minutes off car line, all modern conveniences; reasonable. Write Box 2094, Times. n12

A FIVE ROOMED, modern bungalow, 1609 Pembroke street, for rent, $25 per month. Apply 860 Queen's Ave. Phone 1744L. d3

SIX ROOMED, modern bungalow, partly furnished; rent $30. Apply 622 Pandora. n11

TO LET—5 roomed house, bath and pantry, rent moderate to a good tenant. Apply 2014 Fernwood road. n15

TO RENT—Nicely located 8 roomed house, on car line; rent reasonable to a good tenant. Apply Phone F3028. ty8 tf

FOR RENT—HOUSES (Furnished.)

FIVE ROOMED BUNGALOW, modern, close in, furnace, furnished, $45. Monk, Monteith & Co., Ltd., Government and Broughton. Phone 1402. o12

FOR RENT—7-room, modern house, completely furnished, ready now, furnace and fireplace, near car and sea, rent $50. You should see us for your rent requirements. We have them furnished and unfurnished, also flats. William A. Cole, the rent man. Office open evenings. Tel. 1897. 524 Sayward Bldg. n12

TO RENT—Furnished, 548 Niagara street, 6 roomed, fully furnished, modern furniture, cement basement, furnace, open fireplace, immediate possession. Apply at house. n14

FURNISHED, 4 roomed cottage for rent, water in house, five minutes from car; $16 per month; no children. Apply 2625 Victor street. n11

GREEN & BURDICK BROS., LTD., corner of Langley and Broughton Sts. Phones 4169 and 4170. Furnished houses —4 rooms, Collinson street, $35; 6 rooms, Niagara street, $55; 6 rooms, Belcher street, $60; 7 rooms, Fowl Bay road, $100; 9 rooms, Monterey avenue, $125; 10 rooms, Cook street, $100; 8 rooms, Skinner street, Victoria West, $45. Unfurnished houses—6 rooms, Fort street, $25; 6 rooms, Niagara street, $25; 6 rooms, Market street, $23; 6 rooms, Florence street, $25; 5 rooms, Burns avenue, $15; 1 large store, Government street, $175. n13

FURNISHED, 5-room, modern house to let, near "Fairview Nursery." Apply Mrs. Logan. n11

FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR RENT—Small store on Cook street, near Fisguard, suitable for any business. Apply 1054 Fisguard street. n13

OFFICES TO RENT—Two nicely furnished offices at $15 per month each; also a few offices, unfurnished, from $13.50 to $20 per month. We supply you, free of charge, janitor service, steam heat, electric lights and hot and cold water. The Hibben-Bone Building, fire-proof and centrally located. The Griffith Co., agents, 101-6 Hibben-Bone Bldg. n15

TO LET—Store rooms, good locations, for butcher, wallpaper, hardware, millinery, gents' furnishing or dairy business; rent from $35 per month up. P. O. Box 1082. n14

OFFICE—One room office in Times Building. Apply at Times Office.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

WANTED—Capable men for responsible positions, general merchandise concerns, North; some investment. J. A. MacDonald, Prince George Hotel. n12

WANTED—Young man to assist in grocery store. 1058 Fort street. n11

SITUATIONS WANTED.

RESPECTABLE YOUNG LAD seeks employment. H. K., 1704 Haultain St. n17

CAPABLE WOMAN requires work, either steady position or by hour or day. Apply Box 445, Times. n13

FORD EXPERT, from Ford works, will overhaul or repair your car and make it like new; satisfaction guaranteed. Craig, 140 Menzies. Phone 5081R. n15

LADY wants house work or plain sewing, by the day or hour. Phone 3368. n15

TWO FIRST-CLASS CARPENTERS want work, day or contract. Box 408, Times. n14

WANTED—Position of any kind, by young man, total abstainer, married. Apply Box 357, Times Office. n12

YOUNG MAN wants job at anything in motor engineering; small wage. P. O. Box 1002. n11

WANTED—Position as stenographer by young lady, three years' experience. Apply Box 315, Times. n11

AGREEMENTS OF SALE.

AGREEMENTS OF SALE purchased. No delay in completing any purchase made. Best terms. Canada West Trust Co., Ltd., Room 8, Winch Building, 640 Fort street.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—$10 bill, this morning, between Pine street and Cloverdale avenue. Finder rewarded on returning to Times Office. n12

LOST—On Government car or Government street, Sunday afternoon, a lady's black suede bag, containing travellers' cheques, glasses, etc. Finder please leave at Times Office, or 59 Menzies, and receive reward. n12

LOST—Lady's watch, with knot on chain. Reward. Box 421, Times. n12

FOUND—Bag of clothes, Carey road. Apply Barber's store, corner Carey and Douglas street. n12

LOST—Outside Oak Bay Hotel, gold ring with hair mount. Reward on returning to 1606 Monterey avenue, or Phone 3674. n15

LOST—$10 bill, this morning, between Pine street and Cloverdale avenue. Finder rewarded on returning to Times Office. n12

MISCELLANEOUS.

JONES, 1040 Rockland, repairs leaky roofs, cleans moss from same, and cleans out the gutters. Phone 1755.

POUND SALE—Saanich Municipality. I shall sell by public auction at the Pound, Glanford Ave., on Thursday, 13th inst., at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, 1 sorrel mare, no marks, if not redeemed before. H. Little, pound-keeper. n12

ALL MEMBERS of the Capital Chauffeurs' Association are requested to attend the meeting to be held at their rooms, 1016 Douglas street, on Tuesday, the 11th inst., at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of settling important business. W. C. White, president. n11

SERIOUS, AMBITIOUS STUDENTS taught piano; sympathetic piano accompaniments played for soloists at practice hours; practical harmony and sight-reading; special music method for young children. Box 9700, Times. n11

ALL KINDS OF FENCE WORK and jobbing work attended to. Jones, 1040 Rockland Ave. Phone 1755.

M. STERN will pay highest cash price for old gold and silver. 609 Yates. Phone 4810.

FOR HOUSE REPAIRS, Thirkell, Phone 3828. n22

NOTICE—Take notice that thirty days after date application will be made to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies to change the name of Sands & Fulton, Limited, to "Sands Funeral Furnishing Co., Limited." Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 16th day of October, 1913. M. C. Sands, secretary. n25

LEAKY ROOFS repaired and guaranteed. Tel. L4611.

FOR ALTERATIONS, jobbing work, repairs, etc., apply to J. W. Bolden, carpenter, 1616 Cook street, or Phone 1308.

FOR GOOD RESULTS list your property with G. S. Leighton, Campbell Bldg. Phones: Office, 1500; Res., 2533.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN, agreements for sale and second mortgages purchased. Apply P. O. Box 459. n11

ADVERTISER has $1,000, $1,500 and $2,500 for investment on mortgage. Apply Box 2137, Times. n11

MONEY TO LOAN—On first or second mortgages. Agreements for sale discounted. Apply Kenneth Ferguson, 209 Belmont Bldg. a18 tf

NOVELTIES.

COMPLETE BATH in every home, hot in 5 minutes. No running water or plumbing required. $9.50. Pacific Coast Agencies, 1 Law Chambers, Bastion St. s30tf

MAKE YOUR BEER AT HOME—Finest sparkling lager made in 5 minutes, 25 cents a gallon. Particulars free. Pacific Coast Agencies. See above. c30tf

UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

WANTED—Respectable English couple to rent 3 rooms, Fern street, close St. Margaret's School, $15 month, including fuel, water and light. P. O. Box 1005. n12

UNFURNISHED and furnished rooms, 2725 Douglas; 3 cars; $8 to $12 per month. n13

WANTED—HOUSES.

WANTED TO RENT—Small, modern house, between Blanchard and Linden and Fairfield and Yates. Full particulars to P. O. Box 1005. n12

WANTED—To rent, small house, within easy reach of town, with some land preferred. Send full particulars Box 2076, Times. n11

WANTED—PROPERTY.

I HAVE $300 CASH for first payment on a 5-room bungalow, in good location, at snap price. Box 4?0, Times. n12

PROPERTY OWNERS—We have several buyers for homes at strictly snap prices. What is your best offer? National Realty Co., 1232 Government St. (Richard Hall's office). n11

FOR SALE—LOTS.

FOR SALE—Splendid lot in Oak Bay, $1,250 for immediate sale. 738 Yates St., Room 4. n12

THE BEST YET—Two good 50 ft. lots, inside city limits, high and dry, no rock; one or both at $950 each, easy terms. Dunford's, 311 Union Bank Bldg. n11

A PROMINENT business corner on Fort street for rent at $175 a month, splendid window space. Apply 760 Fort street. n11

FOR SALE—East half lot 2, block 1, Ker subdivision, Ker Ave., $750; $150 cash, balance 6, 12, 18, at 7 per cent. Apply on premises. F. Lawry. n14

BUILDERS—Fairfield snap. Lovely high lot, near sea and park. 31x150; only $1,475. Phone Hinder, 1092. n11

LOTS, just outside city limits, for $675, with $50 cash and easy terms; cannot be equalled. Edwin Frampton, McGregor Bldg. Phone 928. n11

FOR SALE—HOUSES.

FOR SALE—By owner, new, modern bungalow, very best part of Fairfield Estate, close in, hardwood floors, buffet, bookcases, beam ceilings, plate rail, open fireplaces, electric fixtures, etc. Don't bother unless you want to buy a fine home cheap. I must sell; need money; no trades considered. Can show you this is $1,000 below actual value. Box 2110, Times. n13

$25 CASH and $25 monthly, including interest, buys pretty 4 roomed bungalow, next Gorge waterfront, on Inlet avenue. Apply on premises. n24

A PRETTY, COMFORTABLE HOME, all conveniences, close to car, level, cultivated lot; price, including range, linoleum, etc., $3,250, $250 cash, balance easy. C. W. Dallimore, Russell street. Phone 3027R. n11

DIRECT FROM OWNER—A strictly modern, seven roomed house, bath and toilet, complete; will take lot and some cash as first payment. Apply owner, Box 23, Beaumont P. O. n11

A NEW, two roomed dwelling for sale, two minutes from car, dry, level, grassy lot, for $1,075; $125 cash, balance $15 a month. Box 397, Times. n11

MODERN BUNGALOW for sale in Oak Bay, cheap, 6 rooms and hot water heating, between two car lines; owners must sell. Apply 1843 Fowl Bay road. Phone 4693L1. n14

FAIRFIELD—Select, 7-room, new residence, 24 Upper Bushby, high lot, beautiful sea view, balcony, beamed, panelled, buffet, wash tubs. Don't miss seeing this. Only $6,400. Hinder, 59 Moss street. n11

WORKINGMAN'S CHANCE—Four-room, modern bungalow, close in, $2,700; $150 cash, balance rent. Box 425 Times. n12

Money to Loan

I have the following idle balances to loan on first mortgage at current rates of interest

$1,000	$3,000	$5,000	$8,250
$1,500	$3,500	$6,500	$9,500
$2,000	$4,000	$8,000	$13,000

What Have You to Offer?

Money to Loan. 1112 Broad St.

P. R. BROWN

Fire Insurance Written. Phone 1076

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$2.50 Per Week

NO INTEREST TO PAY

3½ miles out on Carey Road. Cleared lots and rich soil.

$525 and $30 Cash.

These are exceptional terms. See it to-day.

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Belmont Building Phone 3231.

Oak Bay Home

Modern five-room bungalow on Hampshire Road, one block from Oak Bay avenue. Diningroom and hall panelled and burlapped; livingroom with open grate, two bedrooms with clothes closets; bathroom, kitchen and pantry; full size cement basement; piped for furnace. Large lot, 67.9x114, all in orchard. The price has been reduced from $6300 to

$5,500

$1250 cash and the balance arranged.

R. S. DAY & B. BOGGS

Telephone 30. 620 Fort St., Victoria. Estab. 1890.

FOR SALE—LOTS.

$600 WILL BUY a good building lot on the three-mile circle, high and dry, no rock, good soil, close to car; $100 cash, $10 monthly, or to suit. Phone 3593, or Box 461, Times. n13

$1,400 LOT for $900, for a few days only; $550 cash, balance over 2 years; within 1½ circle, between Quadra and Douglas streets. Apply owner, P. O. Box 1121. n13

HOWE STREET—Near May street, 50x120; $2,150, terms arranged. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 471. n13

CORNER ARNOLD AND HAMLEY—Nice lot; $1,420, 1-3 cash. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 471. n13

VICTOR STREET—Between Bay and Haultain, 50x120; $1,000, terms arranged. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 471. n13

GOSWORTH ROAD—Two fine lots; $1,050 each, terms arranged. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 471. n13

FOR SALE—HOUSES.

FOUR-ROOM HOUSE and lot for $1,700, 2 minutes from car, just outside city limits, only $500 down, $25 monthly. Edwin Frampton, McGregor Bldg., opposite Spencer's. Phone 928. n11

FOR SALE—New, 6 roomed house in Fairfield, or would consider part trade. Apply owner, Box 437, Times. n12

FAIRFIELD BARGAIN in bungalow, four rooms, all modern, big lot, street paved, near car; will consider vacant lot of medium price; very easy terms to real buyer. Call to-night, Telephone 1897. Price $3,150. n12

THE JOY OF YOUR OWN HOME—We have just finished a charming new California bungalow, eight rooms, four bed chambers, all new, built-in features, hardwood floors, walls nicely tinted, handsome electrical fixtures, window shades on, furnace, fireplace, wash tubs, full basement, cement, garden in, street paved, handy to car, close in; price and terms to meet your requirements. Call our Mr. Cole to-night and arrange to see it. Telephone 1897. 524 Sayward Bldg. n13

NINE-ROOM HOUSE, Fairfield, close to water, $6,500, equity $4,000; will exchange for lots and a little cash. Eagles, Mahon Block. Phone 3273. n12

FOR SALE—I have a house in Fairfield that can be bought for less than it cost to build. Eagles, Mahon Block. Phone 3273. n12

$3,850—BRAND NEW, 5 roomed bungalow, 1 block from Fort street car, full basement, terms like rent. Office open evenings. Monk, Monteith & Co., Ltd., Government and Broughton. n12

A HOME FOR $1,800—Four roomed house, light and water, etc., 2 or 3 minutes from car, on 1½-mile circle, lot 50x100; only $1,800, with $400 cash. May, Tisseman & Gemmell, 730 Fort. n13

AN OAK BAY HOME ONLY $4,000—New, fully modern, 5 roomed house on large lot, half block from Oak Bay avenue; only $4,000, $600 cash. May, Tisseman & Gemmell, 730 Fort. n13

FOR SALE—HOUSES.

SEVEN ROOMED BUNGALOW on large lot, first off Oak Bay car, for $4,000; also furniture for sale. Apply owner, 1550 North Hampshire road. Phone 3559R1. n17

WHY PAY LARGE PRICES when I have reduced 7-room house, with garage, chicken house, conservatory, electric light, telephone connection, bath and toilet, 2 fireplaces, garden in good shape, lot, size 105x135, alone worth $2,200; special reduction to make quick sale, $3,650, cash $500, balance arranged. This home is 15 minutes' walk from Hillside car and 5 minutes from Mt. Tolmie car, on Cedar Hill road, to be paved shortly. Campbell Bros., 1097 Government street. Tel. 3474. n13

I CAN SELL you 5-room bungalow, with buffet, window seats, open fireplace, fully modern, full size lot, on Qu'Appelle street, 3 minutes from Burnside car, at $3,600, cash $300, balance $35 monthly, including interest. Campbell Bros., Suite 7, 1097 Government street. Tel. 3474. n13

WE HAVE a 3-room house, with plenty hot and cold water, woodshed, chicken house, on large lot, paved street, 3 minutes from Spring Ridge car, lot alone worth the price we are asking for this; $2,200, cash $400, balance $15 monthly, including interest. Campbell Bros., 1097 Government street. Tel. 3474. n13

THIS IS CERTAINLY A SNAP—6-room house, with book shelves in dining room, dressing tables in bedrooms, cabinet in kitchen, fully modern, large lot, with chicken house, close to Douglas car; price $3,500, cash $300, balance easy. Campbell Bros., Suite 7, 1097 Government street. Tel. 3474. n13

$300 BUYS 4 roomed bungalow, modern, close in, balance $25 per month, including interest; price $2,800. Owner, Box 458, Times. n13

ROSEBERY AVE.—Fully modern, 8-room semi-bungalow; $5,750, terms arranged. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 471. n13

CLAWTHORPE AVE.—6-room, new and modern house; $4,750, $700 cash. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 471. n13

FOR SALE—ACREAGE.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—7½ acres, 100 yards to Post Office and business quarter, City Salmon Arm, the prize-taking fruit centre of B. C., eight-room, modern, new house, fine for subdivision or for fruit, truck or poultry. Particulars from owner, Box 122, Salmon Arm. n12

THREE ACRES, all clear, Cobble Hill, with 4-room house, hall and pantry; price $1,700, cash $600, balance arranged. Edwin Frampton, McGregor Bldg. Phone 928. n11

VERMONT PARK—Be independent and own a homesite. Exceptionally easy terms, one-seventh cash, balance over six years. Good soil, high and dry, no rock, Saanich, eight miles from Victoria, soon all paved road. Acre lots and over. Low prices. Splendid for poultry farms or strawberries and fruit. Gillespie, Hart & Todd, 711 Fort St. n22

A NICE 5-ACRE PIECE, semi-cleared, best part of Happy Valley, main road frontage, close to railway, good water; $550 an acre, terms. A. Cosh, Happy Valley, Victoria, B. C. n13

EASY TERMS—Eight miles from Victoria, on main Saanich road, pavement to property within few months, splendid acreage, high, no rock, good soil; for sale in sizes of one acre up according to purchasers' requirements; moderate prices, exceptionally easy terms. Gillespie, Hart & Todd, 711 Fort street. n22

320 ACRES, Shawnigan Lake, river frontage one mile, per acre $35; $300 cash, five acres, Cobble Hill, close to station, for $950; 50 acres, with farmhouse, barn and chicken run, at Shawnigan, price $7,500, cash $1,000. Edwin Frampton, McGregor Bldg., opposite Spencer's. Phone 928. n11

16 ACRES on Cedar Hill road, $1,250 per acre, 4 miles out; to trade or sell. Monk, Monteith & Co., Ltd., Government and Broughton. Phone 1402. o12

HALF-ACRE in three-mile circle, good locality, close to school; price $2,000; am leaving town, will make easy terms. Phone 3593, or Box 461, Times. n13

SELLING OUT—Finest equipped farm in Alberta, 1,120 acres; machinery cost about $2,000; 46 fine horses, mostly brood mares, many of them in foal; 150 Berkshire hogs, most of them pure bred; 20 head of Hereford cattle; grain and hay for winter feeding and seed; beautiful lake of clear water adjoining, huge barn, buildings and workmen's bunk houses; ½ mile from station, 2 miles from second station. We have personally seen this ideal, modern farm and stock, and have never seen better; $10,000 secures it, long time for balance; total price, including everything, $48,000. W. C. Bond, 304 Pemberton Bldg. n13

COLQUITZ HEIGHTS—A half-acre on a corner for $450, a beautiful building site. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates. Phone 471. n13

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

TO LET—6-room house, modern, walking distance. 816 King's road. n11

FOR RENT—Five-room, modern house on Hulton street, close to car. For price and particulars Phone 3390R2.

ALL MERCHANTS having troublesome accounts against employees of Provincial Government will be benefited by communicating with Box 398, Times. n11

TO EXCHANGE—7½ acres, all under cultivation, 5 roomed house, barns, chicken houses and runs, chickens, horse, cows, wagon, buggy, plough and other implements; price $6,500. Will take small house up to $2,500 in part payment. Easy terms. May, Tisseman & Gemmell, 730 Fort. n13

FOR RENT—Fully modern, seven roomed bungalow in Oak Bay, near car and sea, only $35 per month; will lease to good tenant. May, Tisseman & Gemmell, 730 Fort. n13

AM FULLY CURED from rheumatic and other ailments after a short course of New Life Vibrator treatment, and will sell my machine (including full equipment for massages, etc.) for $20; cost $35; in perfect condition. Phone No. R3885. n13

FOR SALE—Cheap, rock driller's outfit, steel, bellows, etc. 1901 Douglas St. n17

AMEND TRUSTEE ACT.

Boards of Trade Desires Clause Inserted Allowing Trustees to Invest in Debentures.

In order to consider a proposition from the North Vancouver Board of Trade with regard to a proposed amendment of the Trustee Act the legislative committee of the Board of Trade met this morning, and met H. B. Thomson, M. P. P. for Victoria. Mr. Shallcross made his first appearance at a committee meeting since his return from England.

The change that it is proposed to make in the Trustee Act has reference to municipalities. It is proposed to amend the act to allow trustees to invest trust funds in municipal debentures and debentures for school purposes. Under the present statute there is no clause allowing this to be done.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

HATS, HATS, HATS—All kinds of hats at The Victoria Hat Works, 844 View street. Phone 2167.

FURNISHED HOUSE (7 rooms) to rent, fitted for housekeeping or rooming, suit party of bachelors, 1 furnace and all conveniences, close in. Ring up L2904. Miss Hall. n17

THE DIVINE PSYCHIC SOCIETY—Mrs. L. Reese, B. D., will deliver a course of lectures in the Temple of the Soul (large hall, Pythian Castle, North Park street), every Sunday at 7.30 p. m. Developing circle at 1618 Douglas street every Wednesday at 8 p. m. One and all cordially invited. J. H. Dunkley, secretary. d12

CLARIONET (Albert model), exceptionally fine instrument, sell cheap or exchange. 439 Dallas road, James Bay. n17

TO RENT—4 roomed house, 2883 Douglas, near Garbally road, $16. H. Booth, 2 Bridgman Bldg., 1097 Government. n13

WANTED—A reliable young grocery clerk; state age, experience, salary expected. Box 456, Times. n13

LOST—White bull terrier dog, answering to name of "Tigie." Finder returning to T. Williamson, Victoria Motor Co., will be suitably rewarded. n13

NEW HOUSE, on paved part Finlayson, for rent, 5 rooms, fully modern, $25 monthly; also 5-room house on Highview, $20 monthly, both close to car. Campbell Bros., 1097 Government street. Tel. 3474. n13

FURNISHED, 5-room, modern house to let, near Fairview Nursery, Esquimalt road. Apply Mrs. Logan. n13

STORE FOR RENT—Corner of Douglas and Johnson streets, rent moderate, will lease. J. W. D. York, Phone 2829. n13

BELLEVUE COURT, Bellevue street, Oak Bay, close to Oak Bay car and sea. One vacancy in this desirable apartment house, steam heat, electric range, hot and cold water, telephone, balcony off living room overlooking sea. Apply Hugh Pringle, 311 Union Bank. Phone 4542. n17

A MOST COMPLETELY furnished home of six rooms, all modern, furnace, etc., nice grounds, in Oak Bay, close to car; reasonable rent to desirable tenant. Hugh Pringle, 311 Union Bank Bldg. Phone 4542. n13

WANTED—2,000 acres of good cultivatable farm land on Island; will pay from six to ten dollars per acre for same. W. C. Bond, 304 Pemberton Bldg., Victoria, B. C. n14

FOR SALE—About 200 White Leghorn yearling hens, good laying strain. Burnside Poultry Co., 1116 Burdette Ave. n17

WANTED—Work in grocery store by man of 25 years, four years' experience, steady and no bad habits. Box 464, Times. n13

WE LOAN you money at 5 per cent. to buy or build a home or pay off mortgage bearing higher rate of interest. Box 49, Times. n17

MODERN BRICK BUILDING, 6 rooms and sleeping porch, nicely furnished, complete; suitable for roomers and boarders; owner ill. Phone 2163L. n13

DON'T PAY RENT or high interest, borrow at 6 per cent., any amount, to buy or build a home, and repay the loan on long, easy payments. Box 468, Times. n17

TO LET—Three roomed, furnished cottage, on full sized lot; rent reasonable. Apply 1909 Fernwood road. n11

VACANCY for 6 young men at Hillside Club, $2 per week; meals if desired. Apply Merchants Bank, Scott Bldg. n11

BEST BUSINESS IN CITY, in board and lodging house. Phone 2268L. n11

REAL ESTATE AGENTS—All my properties on Yates and View streets are off the market. M. O. Julian. n13

WANTED—Saleslady or gentleman; must understand furniture business. Apply 834 Fort street, between 6 and 7 evenings. n13

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms, ground floor. 974 Fisguard St. n13

FOR RENT—A four roomed cottage and a five roomed bungalow, near to car. Phone 4627L. n13

FOR SALE—Furniture of six rooms for sale, cheap, to party renting house, good location, near Vancouver street; leaving city. Apply at 1017 Pandora avenue. n13

FOR SALE—A child's coaster, large size, good as new, suitable for boy or girl. Apply at 1017 Pandora avenue. n13

FOR RENT—New, seven roomed, modern house, 1342 Faithful street, four bedrooms, cement basement, hardwood floor, fireplace, near car, sea and park. W. E. Kyle, 74 Eberts street. n13

BORN.

WALKER—On the 10th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Walker, Quadra street, a son.

ALL CIVIC EMPLOYEES HIRED UNDER BY-LAW

County Court Judge Holds They are Supposed to Be Acquainted With Terms.

What was in the nature of a test case regarding the conditions of employment of civic employees under the employees' by-law was heard this morning by Judge Lampman in County Court. Several other cases hung on the result.

The plaintiff, G. H. Llewellyn, was in the employ of the engineering department for a year and a half, and last February his services were dispensed with. He had for a long time been getting a daily salary, but this was altered to a monthly one, and he sued for wrongful dismissal in that he had not been given a month's notice. The court was asked to hold that the heads of the different branches of the service were agents of the city council in the matter of engaging or dispensing with men.

Robert McKane acted for the plaintiff and City Solicitor Robertson defended the action.

The plaintiff said he was first engaged by the city in June, 1911, by Mr. O'Meara, and worked for a year and nine months. He worked at a daily rate of pay until February last, when he was told by Mr. Payne, in whose branch he then was, that the daily rate would be changed to a monthly one. He was told also that if he wished to leave he must give a month's notice and the city would have to give him the same if it wished to dispense with his services.

To the city solicitor he admitted that while he lost one dollar a month under the new arrangement, he had gained by certainty of employment for at least one month ahead, by pay for holidays and by two weeks' vacation annually. He left the city service on February 28 and a week later got a position in the Dominion government service at as good a salary.

Francis A. Richardson and Claude L. Mackenzie testified to the statement made by Mr. Payne to the plaintiff as to the effect of the change from a daily rate of pay to a monthly rate.

Caleb H. Payne, construction engineer, said that he was working under Mr. O'Grady in the survey branch last February. What he said to the young men in the office was an expression of his own opinion as to their standing under the new arrangement, and was not in any way as a matter of instruction from his superiors. He had no authority or direction to make the statements he did.

Mr. Robertson put in the city employees by-law, passed in March, 1901, and pointed out that all employees must be taken to have read and understood this by-law, and to know the conditions under which they were employed.

Mr. McKane argued that the by-law was ultra vires, like nothing that had ever been produced under the British flag, and contrary to the Masters' and Servants' Act. On the merits of the case he relied on Mr. Payne's statement to the plaintiff, and argued that in what he had said he must be taken as having acted as an agent of the city.

"I think this action must fail," said his honor. "I do not think the city is bound by any contract Payne has entered into. He is not the head of a department with power to engage men, and he apparently made a mistake as to the practice or the law governing civic employment. I think the by-law is conclusive as to the conditions of employment in the civic service, and that all employees must be deemed to have notice of its terms even if they have not read it."

THE ISLANDS.

The Conservatives to Meet at Ganges Harbor on the 14th.

The Conservative convention for the Islands constituency to nominate a candidate in the interest of the government will be held at Ganges Harbor on Friday, 14th inst. The several districts in the constituency will send delegates as follows:

Sidney and North Saanich, eleven; South Salt Spring, four; North Salt Spring, six; Pender, three; Mayne, Galiano and Saturna, six; Gabriola, three; and Thetis and Kuper, two.

The meeting of the convention is a mere form, as the candidate, W. W. Foster, has already been chosen by the government with the help of the machine; but it will be held on above date and with a great flourish the ready-made candidate will be acclaimed the free and unanimous choice of the Conservative party.

But it will not be unanimous, and it will require some of McBride's diplomacy to avert an open rupture. It is more than likely that Sir Richard will be present in Mr. Foster's interest.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Thomas Shotbolt, Fowl Bay road, will receive to-morrow afternoon and every second Wednesday in the month hereafter.

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A wedding of interest to Victorians was that of Miss Agnes Jean Kelly, of this city, and Mr. Lynn Works Morrill, of Spokane. The ceremony took place in the presidential suite of the New Washington hotel on Saturday last, at noon, Rev. Dr. Major, of Seattle, performing the rite. The bride was given away by J. C. Marmaduke, proprietor of the New Washington hotel, an intimate friend of the bride's family, and Miss Helen Kelly, the bride's sister, acted as bridesmaid. Mr. Robert L. Parkinson, of Portland, was best man, and Mrs. Ralph Westover, of Seattle, asted as matron-of-honor. Only immediate relatives and a few close friends of the young couple were present, the guests later repairing to the "red room" where a delicious wedding breakfast was partaken of, following which the happy pair left for the future home in Portland.

REMARKS ON TOWN PLANNING AND LOANS

J. J. Shallcross Made Close Observation in Old Country.

Town planning and construction were included in the observations of J. J. Shallcross, president of the Board of Trade, during his two months' visit to the Old Country, from which he has just returned. While travelling about the British Isles he made a point of noticing very carefully all matters pertaining to the construction of buildings and towns, and it is not improbable that he will endeavor to set the local board in motion at an early date for the achievement of the best of the things he noticed.

"Town planning schemes," he said to the Times this morning, "have been generally adopted throughout Great Britain and the urban and rural councils control them. These schemes are produced under the powers of the Town Planning Acts of the last three years, enabling municipalities to control the development of building areas both in respect to roads, and the character and number of houses to be erected on any given area.

"In one district under my notice," pursued Mr. Shallcross, "the municipality limited the number of houses per acre to twelve, whereas under the previous conditions the builders may have erected thirty or forty houses on the same ground.

"At the present time in Victoria, with lots of 60 by 120 feet the number of houses to an acre does not exceed eight, that is without taking into account the area for roads, etc."

Mr. Shallcross evidently thinks that Western Canada could certainly take a lesson from the legislation which has been perfected in this respect in the Old Country, where the land question has been for years such a vexed one, and where the present chancellor of the exchequer has under way one of the most far reaching and revolutionary land schemes ever projected by any state.

"The time is certainly come," the president of the Board of Trade said on this head, "when the people of the western towns should seriously consider what sort of towns they desire to have, and to set out definitely to achieve the ends they aim at; to prevent over construction and consequent congestion; to prevent wrong construction of the buildings themselves, especially in regard to sanitation. This would, of course, involve the passing of by-laws controlling the class of construction and the sanitary conveniences to be provided. There is nothing at all in our statutes to control these things at the present time."

Passing by natural sequence from the subject of town construction to the means whereby it is accomplished, he proceeded to outline some of the causes why many Canadian municipalities have passed through troubled financial waters recently:

"The Local Government Board of England," he continued, "has also a certain amount of control over loans to be contracted by municipalities, and such loans have to be approved of by the board before they can be obtained. The present financial difficulties in Canada would have been nothing like so serious if the municipalities had not incurred obligations for capital expenditure before the funds had been secured.

"We have recently had a very severe lesson on the dangers of over-borrowing, and if we are to gain any advantage from that lesson steps should be taken to prevent municipalities acting in a way which, in the case of individuals, would inevitably lead to insolvency.

"Municipalities," concluded Mr. Shallcross, "seem to shield themselves behind by-laws passed by ratepayers who have probably voted upon them without being fully advised of all the facts, and encouraged by the general optimism of the country."

REVERSED AT OTTAWA.

Chinese Litigants Win Important Appeal to Supreme Court Over Estate Deal.

Word has been received from Ottawa that the Supreme Court of Canada has given judgment in favor of the plaintiffs in the specific performance suit of Bark Fong, Wing On, et al, against Thomas Cooper. The action was for the completion of a sale of land which Cooper agreed to sell the Chinese plaintiffs for $1,600. Two payments were made.

The trial judge held that the plaintiffs had abandoned their purchase and that there were other irregularities. This the court of appeal upheld, but now the Supreme Court of Canada has decided that the plaintiffs are entitled to specific performance of the agreement to sell for $1,600. The decision is an important one to the plaintiffs as the land has been sold three times since the original agreement, having reached a price of $15,000 the last time.

Tait, Brandon and Hall are the counsel for the plaintiffs.

OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral took place at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the parlors of Sands & Fulton, of James Greig, whose remains were interred in the Ross Bay cemetery. The longshoremen of the city turned out in a body to attend the cortege, and the pallbearers included two men from the Longshoremen's Union, two from the Firemen's Union, and two from the Sailors' Union. Their names were J. Sharpe, J. McDonald, J. Mitten, G. Burton, H. Stier, G. Austin.

The funeral took place this afternoon from the Victoria Undertaking Parlors at 3 o'clock of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Collins, of Esquimalt. Interment took place in Ross Bay cemetery. The child's death occurred on Sunday quite suddenly.

LOCAL NEWS

Douglas Street Widening.—Another settlement in connection with the widening of Douglas street has been reached, by which T. F. Huble will be paid $16,000 for damage and compensation to lots 3 and 4, block 4, Finlayson estate.

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Money Paid In.—Two small amounts have been paid into court by the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway company on account of two parcels of land in the Saanich peninsula which are required for the construction of the Patricia Bay line.

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Mr. Brewster's Birthday.—Yesterday being the 43rd anniversary of the birth of H. C. Brewster, the Liberal leader, a birthday gathering was held at his residence at which a number of intimate friends welcomed the popular leader.

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The Hebden Complaint.—The complaint of A. P. Hebden against the plumbing inspector was ventilated at a committee meeting held this morning, at which the complainant and the inspector unfolded their respective cases for the aldermen. A report will be presented to council later.

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Death of Mr. Townley.—Samuel Townley, a brother of Mrs. Thomas Davis, died suddenly in Vancouver yesterday, where he had resided for a number of years. The funeral will be held to-morrow afternoon and Mrs. Davis, who went over to-day, will be joined by Chief Davis to-morrow.

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New Offices Opened.—New post offices were opened during October at Qualicum Beach, at Woden River, Smithers, Mad River, Vancouver Sub. 22, Vancouver Sub. 4 (re-opened), and Remo, formerly Breckenridge. Offices were closed at Alford Bay, Groundhog, Stovely, Kennfalls, Kimsquit, Manson Creek, Schooner Passage and Saltair.

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Speaks of Prison Life.—At the James Bay Methodist church this evening Glen T. Menzemer will give his interesting lecture on "Prison Life." Last evening he spoke in the Metropolitan Methodist church schoolroom on the same subject. To-morrow night Mr. Menzemer will lecture in the Victoria West Methodist church and the following night speaks in the Centennial Methodist church.

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Sweepstake Circulars. — Racing sweepstake circulars, it is stated, are being sent through the mails from the Turf Pool Syndicate, Geneva, Switzerland, and postmasters have been instructed to treat advertising matter of this class in the same way as illegal lottery circulars. Money orders, it has been ordered, are not to be made payable to the Turf Pool Syndicate.

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Examinations Now On.—The Dominion Civil Service examinations are now being conducted under the supervision of Rev. Dr. Campbell in the public works department rooms in the post office. The qualifying examinations begin to-morrow. There are eighteen candidates at the preliminary and five at the qualifying examinations.

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Saanich Ratepayers.—At a meeting to organize a Ratepayers' Association in Ward V., Saanich last evening James A. Grant was appointed president by a representative gathering of residents of the ward. In connection with the approaching municipal election it is understood that Councillor Quick will be a candidate for re-election in this ward.

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Meet Committee.—The finance committee of the city council did not give much encouragement to the school board's finance committee yesterday afternoon, it being explained that the school debentures were being floated as readily as a weak market permitted. It is therefore doubtful if the board at the meeting to-morrow will be in a position to award further contracts, at any rate of a large character. The tenders for the Margaret Jenkins school closed at a late hour this afternoon.

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Police Headquarters.—A meeting of the police commission and the committee looking into the question of the new jail was held this morning, and the committee decided to ask Building Inspector Northcott to prepare plans for alterations which would not be as full as those already presented by him, and yet would give more cell accommodation, ventilation and improve the sanitary conditions.

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New Door in Post Office.—Masons are busy opening up a new door to the post office from Government street, just above the present southernmost corner entrance. The latter is to be closed, and the space utilized as a part of the Registered-Letter office, which will be doubled in size by the alterations under way. The new entrance is being made through the windows formerly at the rear of the stamp counter, and will be an advantage not only in economizing space but in making fewer steps into the office, the old entrance having fourteen.

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Mr. McDiarmid and the City.—A return presented by the city solicitor at the council meeting last evening stated that F. A. McDiarmid, former city solicitor, is interested in the eight supreme court, arbitration and similar cases before the courts, and has acted in eleven others in the past 18 months, and that he has received $5,588 in fees and expenses from the city since his departure from the service, of which $2,500 comes in three items for the protracted Healey case at Sooke lake. The Molony arbitration netted $1,000 in fees, the return said.

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Building Permits.—Building permits have been issued to J. L. Forester for a residence at 1018 Amphion street; W. B. Revercomb for a residence at 1541 Gladstone avenue costing $4,500; F. J. Norris for a garage at Park Lake; Stephen Jones for the rebuilding of the Windsor hotel (permit held pending lodgment of specifications), upon which $50,000 will be expended; and to T. R. Davis for a hotel on Yates street, thirty rooms, on which $17,500 will be expended. Stores and a brick building will be constructed for H. W. Walker at a cost of $6,000 on the Esquimalt road.

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Rats in Post Office.—Many people who fail to receive parcels of wedding cake, confectionery, or other edibles sent through the mails, may get a certain satisfaction in learning that the destruction of these is owing to the pest of rats with which many of the big buildings down on the waterfront are overrun. Assistant Postmaster Cairns showed several boxes of wedding cake this morning which had been quite obviously nibbled through and the contents demolished by rats; at first small traps were set, but these proved quite inadequate, and now large wire "cages" are placed about the building in which several are often caught during a single night. A recent fatality by the same enemies was the almost complete annihilation of a side of bacon sent from England to the sender's friends here.

Mrs. J. O. Stinson, of 1124 Fairfield road, will receive to-morrow afternoon and every second Wednesday in the month hereafter.

Bix—Wonder why Podgers doesn't marry?

Dix—I guess he realizes he'd be a fool to marry a woman who'd be fool enough to marry him.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, at their next sitting, for a transfer of my share or interest in the liquor license issued to J. M. Lambert and G. D. Sedney, in respect of the premises known as the St. Francis Hotel, 550 Yates street, Victoria, B. C., to the said G. D. Sedney.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., the 7th day of November, 1913.

J. M. LAMBERT.

For Sale—This Beautiful Home

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DIVIDEND NO. 14

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of six per cent per annum upon the paid-up capital stock of this Bank has been declared for the six months ending November 29, 1913, and that same will be payable at its banking house in this city and at all its branches on or after the second day of December to shareholders of record of the fifteenth day of November, 1913.

By order of the Board,

ROBERT CAMPBELL,
General Manager

Winnipeg, October 21, 1913.

Victoria Stock Exchange

Board Room 2, Pemberton Blk.
Daily Session 10.30 a.m.

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Secretary, P. O. Box 941.

TO CONTRACTORS.

Tenders are invited for the general building work of new, four roomed, brick Public School at Beacon Hill. Tenders are to include the whole of the work except the heating installation.

Plans, specifications and conditions of contract may be seen at the office of the undersigned, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5.30 p. m.

Tenders on the form supplied must be delivered in sealed envelopes marked "Tender for Beacon Hill School," and addressed to the Secretary, at the office of the Board of School Trustees, not later than 4 p. m. Tuesday, the 18th day of November, 1913.

J. C. M. KEITH,
Architect.
416 Sayward Building, Victoria.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Board of License Commissioners of the City of Victoria, at its next sittings, for a transfer from me, the undersigned, to James Callander, of the said City of Victoria, of the license to sell spirituous and fermented liquor on the premises known as the Clarence Hotel, situate at Nos. 1305 and 1307 Douglas street, Victoria, B. C.

Dated the 15th day of October, A.D. 1913.

GEO. FORTIN.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made at the next sittings of the Board of License Commissioners, after the expiration of 30 days from the date hereof, for a transfer of the license held by me, Annie Korsak, as Executor of the Will of Peter Korsak, deceased, late of the Municipality of Esquimalt, for the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors, on the premises known as the "Rainbow Hotel," in the Municipality of Esquimalt, to myself, Annie Korsak, of the said Municipality of Esquimalt aforesaid.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 7th day of November, A.D. 1913.

ANNIE KORSAK.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners, after the expiration of 30 days from the date hereof, for a transfer of the license held by me, Constance Baker, of the City of Victoria, for the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors on the premises known as the Ritz Hotel, Fort street, in the City of Victoria, to Channing Jameson Lovejoy, of the City of Victoria aforesaid.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this eleventh day of August, 1913.

CONSTANCE BAKER.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date an application will be made to the Board of License Commissioners for the Municipality of Victoria, B. C., for permission to change the license now held by me and known as the Jubilee Saloon to the Jubilee Hotel at the same location, according to the Municipal Act, to take effect on January 14, 1914.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., November 10, 1913.

ROBERT CHADWICK.

TAKE NOTICE that application will be made to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at their next sittings, to be held at the expiration of thirty clear days from the date of this notice, for the transfer of the license held by me to sell spirituous liquors by retail on the premises known as the Northern Bar, situate at No. 518 Yates street, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, to the premises known as No. 570 Yates street, in the said City of Victoria.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 6th day of November, 1913.

JOHN MORGAN.

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Financial News

PRICES UP DESPITE NO BULLISH FACTORS

Firmness Remarked in Canadian Pacific on Foreign Buying

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, Nov. 11.—Prices were quite stronger. Notwithstanding a lack of any genuinely bullish factor advances were seen throughout the list, much of yesterday's depression being sloughed off, broadly speaking.

Action of American issues in London, as well as the firmness remarked in Canadian Pacific on foreign buying, contributed in part to improvement.

The condition of the market shows a definite disposition to advance easily if given scope at all and declines engineered by selling pressure on the part of the short element do not make such headway as heretofore.

The Mexican situation still assumes a position of gravity and obviously is fraught with many dangers even at this stage, the effect of which continues to check the upward movement in the stock market.

	High.	Low.	Bid.
Alaska Gold	21	20¾	20¾
Amal. Copper	69⅞	68¾	69¼
Amn. Can.	27⅞	26¾	26½
Amn. Car. & Foundry	42⅞	42	42½
Amn. Cotton Oil	37¼	35⅞	36⅞
Amn. Smelting	62½	61½	61¼
Amn. Tel. & Tel.	119¼	118⅞	118¾
Anaconda	33⅞	33¼	33¼
Atchison	91⅛	90½	91¼
B. & O.	92⅛	91⅞	91⅞
B. R. T.	86⅛	86⅛	86½
C. P. R.	223½	221⅞	222
Central Leather	23⅞	23½	23
C. & O.	56½	55½	55⅞
C., M. & St. P.	98⅞	97⅞	98⅛
Colo. Fuel & Iron	26½	26⅞	26
Distillers Sec.	15½	14½	14½
Erie	26½	26	26½
Do., 1st pref.	40⅝	39⅞	39⅞
Goodrich	18⅞	17⅞	17⅞
G. N., pref.	122½	122¼	122½
G. N. Ore ctfs.	31	30½	30½
Inter-Metro.	14	13⅞	13⅞
Do., pref.	58½	57⅞	57⅞
Inter. Harvester	103	102	102
Lehigh Valley	147	144⅞	144⅞
Mex. Petro.	48½	46	46⅞
New Haven	79⅞	77⅞	77¾
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	126	124⅞	126
M., K. & T.	19½	19½	19½
Mo. Pacific	27½	26⅞	26⅞
Nev. Cons.	14½	14½	14½
N. Y. C.	95	94½	94½
N. P.	106⅞	105½	105⅞
Pacific Mail	23	22⅞	22½
Pennsylvania	108⅞	107½	107⅞
People's Gas	122	121⅞	121
Reading	159¼	157⅞	158½
Rock Island, pref.	21½	20⅞	21
S. P.	85½	84⅞	84½
Sou. Railway	21½	21½	21½
Tenn. Copper	28½	28	28
U. P.	148⅞	147⅞	147⅞
U. S. Rubber	52½	52½	52½
U. S. Steel	55½	54⅞	54⅞
Do., pref.	105	104⅞	104⅞
Utah Copper	49	48½	48½
Wabash, pref.	10½	10½	10
Westinghouse	65½	65	64½
Wisconsin Central	45½	44½	43½
Granby (Boston)	68½	68	68
Money on call	4	3½	3½

Total sales, 226,700 shares.

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WHEAT UNCHANGED AT WINNIPEG BUT FIRM

Winnipeg, Nov. 11.—Wheat opened unchanged on a dull and narrow market. The close was, however, firm, with more activity prevailing. Oats were steady and in fair demand, notwithstanding very heavy receipts. Flax practically unchanged and quiet.

There is little change in the cash market, there being no better demand for No. 1 Northern. Flax is also in poor demand, offerings being somewhat light.

Receipts are heavy, especially of oats, total inspections being 1,317 cars inspected and 1,450 in sight.

American inspections—Minneapolis, 402 cars; Duluth, 414 cars; and Chicago, 24 cars.

	Open.	Close.
Wheat—		
Nov.	82⅞	82⅞
Dec.	82⅞	82½
May	87⅞	88
Oats—		
Nov.	34½	34½
Dec.	33½	33¼
May	37½	37¼
Flax—		
Nov.	111⅞	111⅞
Dec.	112	111⅞
May	119½	118⅞

Cash prices: Wheat—1 Nor., 82⅞; 2 Nor., 81½; 3 Nor., 79½; 4 Nor., 74⅞. Winter wheat—No. 2, 82½; No. 3, 79⅞.

Oats—No. 2 C. W., 34½; No. 3 C. W., 33; extra No. 1 feed, 33½.

Barley—No. 3, 43⅞; No. 4, 41; feed, 38⅞.

Flax—No. 1 N. W. C., 111⅞.

The smallest interval of sound can be better distinguished with one ear than with both.

NOTICE.

The Pacific Great Eastern Railway first strikes the water of the Pacific Ocean at the head of Howe Sound at a point now known as Newport, which the Company do not consider an appropriate name for the city that will develop here.

The Company now offers a prize of $500.00 to the school-boy or school-girl attending any public or private school in the Province of British Columbia who will furnish a name which will be accepted by the Company as, in its opinion, most suitable to designate this city. Any scholar is at liberty to send as many names as may be desired, which must be forwarded not later than 10th January, 1914, addressed to R. D. Thomas, secretary, Pacific Great Eastern Railway, Victoria, B. C. In the event of the name selected being furnished by two or more scholars the prize will be divided equally between them.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Board of License Commissioners of the City of Victoria, at its next sittings, for a transfer from the premises known as "Everett's Exchange," situate on Esquimalt road, Victoria West, to the premises known as "The Carlton Hotel," situate at No. 712 Pandora avenue, in the City of Victoria, of the license to sell spirituous and fermented liquor held by me, the undersigned, Philip Crombie.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 7th day of November, A.D. 1913.

PHILIP CROMBIE.

NOTICEABLE LACK OF GLACIER CREEK

Coronation Fluctuated Wildly But Quotations Reflected Irregularity

Prices on the local stock exchange this morning assumed a natural quietness in the absence of important support and although bidding revealed steadiness generally, the list tended to decline.

Portland Canal was easier on appearance of slight selling pressure but Glacier held firmly with a noticeable lack of offerings anywhere near the bid price.

Coronation fluctuated wildly, but in a market where no factor of interest pertains to the shares, quotations just reflected the ruling irregularity.

Granby did better. The commendable tone of American markets in face of prevailing adversity restarted buying in standard issues and hardening in this issue was in sympathy with the rest.

	Bid.	Asked.
Balfour Patents, pref.	..	.50
Blackbird Syndicate	55.00	..
B. C. Life	..	117.00
B. C. Trust Co.	100.00	..
B. C. Packers, com.	120.00	..
B. C. Refining Co.	.44	..
B. C. Copper Co.	2.00	3.00
Crow's Nest Coal	..	70.00
C. N. P. Fisheries	..	.75
Can. P. S. Lumber Co.	..	2.00
Can. Cons. S. & R.	82.00	..
Coronation Gold	.30	.45
Dominion Trust Co.	105.00	..
G. W. Perm. Loan	126.00	..
Granby	69.00	71.00
International Coal & Coke	.30	.36
Lucky Jim Zinc	..	.06½
McGillivray Coal	.15	.27
Nugget Gold	..	.30
Portland Canal	.03½	.03⅞
Pacific Loan	20.00	..
Rambler Cariboo	.22	.25
Red Cliff	..	.06
Standard Lead	1.25	..
Snowstorm	.25	.29
Stewart M. & D.	.10	..
Slocan Star	..	.60
S. S. Island Creamery	7.50	..
Victoria Phoenix Brew.	110.00	..
Unlisted.		
American Marconi	..	5.25
B. C. Coal & Oil	..	50.00
Canadian Marconi	..	4.25
Canadian Northwest Oil	..	.00½
Can. West Trust	..	90.00
Can. Pac. Oil	.02½	..
Glacier Creek	.05½	.07
Kootenay Gold	..	.07
North Shore Ironworks	..	.35
Bakeries, Ltd.	..	11.00
B. C. Homebuilders	..	.60

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ARGENTINE NEWS GAVE STRENGTH TO WHEAT

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Chicago, Nov. 11.—Another net advance of ¼ cent in wheat futures was recorded to-day with prices at 86⅛ split for December and 91 May at the close. A few commission houses followed by the pit trade took the selling side in securing profits the last half hour and gave a little reaction to the market. Argentine news was the one important feature for the day. In fact it has been dawning on the trade for some days past that the news from that quarter must prove the dominating market feature. The advance of 1⅛ to 1¼ in Buenos Ayres at the close Saturday was not explained at the time but was made clear yesterday when Liverpool scored an advance of nearly one penny for futures and gave as an explanation confirmation of bad crop condition in India and dry weather complaints from Argentine provinces. Several houses in the trade had direct Argentine cables today and while they conflicted somewhat they all agreed on one fact that weather conditions have changed the promising outlook for the wheat harvest.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Dec.	85⅞	86⅜	85½	86⅛
May	90⅞	91¼	90⅞	91
July	88½	88⅜	88½	88½
Corn—				
Dec.	69	69	68½	69
May	70	70¼	69⅞	70
July	69¼	69½	69¼	69⅜
Oats—				
Dec.	37⅞	38¼	37⅞	38½
May	41⅞	41⅞	41½	41⅞
July	41¼	41⅜	41¼	41¼
Pork—				
May	20.20	20.20	20.15	20.20
Lard—				
May	10.90	10.92	10.87	10.92
Short Ribs—				
May	10.75	10.77	10.72	10.77

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SECURITIES QUOTED.

London, Nov. 11.—The following securities are officially quoted: Alberta, 4 per cent.; Edmonton, 5 per cent.; British Columbia Forest Mills, 5 per cent.; North Saskatchewan Land, 6 per cent.; and Trust and Loan Company of Canada, 4 per cent.

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METAL MARKETS.

New York, Nov. 11.—Lead quiet, $4.35 bid; in London, £19 7s. 6d. Spelter quiet, $5.25@5.35; in London, £20 10s. Copper nominal; standard spot and futures not quoted; electrolytic, $15.75@16; lake, $16.50; casting, $15.50. Tin dull; spot, $39 15s@$39.35; November, $39 15s@$39.40; December, $39 15s@$39.50; January, $39.20@$39.60. Antimony dull; Cookson's, $7.60. Iron quiet, unchanged.

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NEW YORK COTTON.

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, Nov. 11.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan.	13.10	13.16	12.95	12.97-98
March	13.20	13.24	13.02	13.04-05
May	13.18	13.22	12.98	13.00-01
July	13.10	13.15	12.83	12.90-91
Aug.	12.87	12.92	12.60	12.60-61
Dec.	13.32	13.40	13.21	13.21-22

Easy.

Sapleigh—I weally don't know what's the mattah with me. I don't seem able to collect my thoughts.

Smart—Take my advice, old man, and don't try.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY.

BY-LAW NO. 157.

A BY-LAW

To Raise the Sum of $150,000.00 For Sewer Purposes.

WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay has determined to construct new sewers and extend the present sewer system within the Municipal limits of the District of Oak Bay.

AND WHEREAS it is intended to borrow the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($150,000.00) for the object of laying and constructing such sewers, upon the security of the sewer rentals imposed by and enforceable under the provisions of "The Sewer Rental and Sewer Construction Tax By-Law" passed by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay under the powers contained in the Municipal Clauses Act.

AND WHEREAS the estimated amount of the sewer rentals chargeable for the year 1913 under the said Sewer Rental and Sewer Construction Tax By-Law is ten thousand, eight hundred and forty-three dollars and forty-nine cents ($10,843.49).

AND WHEREAS the amount of money already charged upon the said sewer rentals is the sum of sixteen thousand, one hundred and eighty-eight dollars and five cents ($16,188.05).

AND WHEREAS the said debt is created on the security of the said Sewer Rentals imposed by and enforceable under the said Sewer Rental and Sewer Construction Tax By-Law.

AND WHEREAS the Corporation intends to guarantee the payment of the moneys to be borrowed under the authority of this By-Law and the interest thereon as additional security for the payment of the same.

AND WHEREAS the estimated deficiency in the said sewer rentals chargeable under the said Sewer Rental and Sewer Construction Tax By-Law required to make up the amount of the annual interest and sinking fund upon the proposed debt of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($150,000.00) is the sum of five thousand, three hundred and forty-four dollars and fifty-six cents ($5,344.56).

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable land and improvements or real property of the Municipality of the District of Oak Bay according to the last revised Assessment Roll, namely the roll for the year 1913, is the sum of seven million, eight hundred and seventy-one thousand, one hundred and seventy dollars ($7,871,170.00).

AND WHEREAS this By-Law shall not be altered or repealed except with the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council:

THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Reeve of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay to borrow upon the security of the sewer rentals enforceable under the provisions of the Sewer Rental and Sewer Construction Tax By-Law and upon the credit and the guarantee of the Corporation at large by way of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons, or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($150,000.00) currency or sterling money at the rate of four dollars and eighty-six and two-third cents ($4.86 2-3) to the pound ((£1) sterling, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Reeve to cause any number of debentures to be made, executed and issued for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand ($150,000.00) either in currency or sterling money at the rate aforesaid, each of the said debentures being of the amount of five hundred dollars ($500.00), or its sterling equivalent at the rate aforesaid, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the Seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Reeve thereof. It shall be lawful for the said Reeve in his discretion to alternately cause each of the said debentures to be made, executed and issued for an amount of one hundred pounds (£100) sterling, and one, if necessary, for a less sum in sterling money to complete the authorized issue.

3. The said debentures shall bear date of the 30th day of November, 1913, and shall be made payable in 30 years from the said date at any of the following places, namely: At the Bank of British North America in the City of Victoria, at the Bank of British North America in the City of Toronto, at the Bank of British North America in the City of Montreal, Canada, or at the Bank of British North America in the City of New York in the United States of America, or at the Bank of British North America, London, England, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, and the signature to the interest coupons may be either written, stamped, printed or lithographed.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of six per centum per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half yearly at such of the places mentioned in paragraph 3 hereof as may be expressed in the debentures or coupons.

5. It shall be lawful for the Reeve of the said Corporation to dispose of the said debentures at a rate below par and to authorize the Treasurer of the Corporation to pay out of the sums so raised by the sale of the said debentures all expenses connected with the preparation and engraving or lithographing of the debentures and coupons, or any discount or commission or other charges incidental to the sale of the said debentures.

6. For the purpose of the payment of the interest on the said debentures during their currency there shall be set aside annually the sum of nine thousand dollars ($9,000.00), and for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for the payment off of the debt at maturity there shall be set aside annually the sum of three thousand, one hundred and fifty-two dollars and ninety cents ($3,152.90).

7. The said sum of nine thousand dollars ($9,000.00) necessary for the payment of the interest annually on the said debentures, and the said sum of three thousand, one hundred and fifty-two dollars and ninety cents ($3,152.90) necessary to be set aside annually for the purpose of creating the sinking fund aforesaid, shall be set aside annually out of the sewer rentals enforceable under the provisions of the Sewer Rental Construction Tax By-Law, and in the event of there being any deficiency in the amount realized from the said sewer rentals (after the payment of the amount of money already charged upon the same) in order to make up the amount of the annual interest and sinking fund upon the said debt such deficiency shall be ascertained and paid out of the annual general revenue of the Corporation.

8. That the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay do guarantee the payment of the principal moneys and interest thereon to be raised under the authority of this By-Law, and so as in no way to interfere with or prejudice the setting aside annually of the sums hereinbefore mentioned out of the sewer rentals enforceable under the said Sewer Rental and Sewer Construction Tax By-Law will, in case a sum sufficient to provide for the said interest and sinking fund is not realized in each year out of the said Sewer Rentals, after the payment of the sum of money already charged upon the same, pay such deficit (if any) out of the current year's revenue to any person or corporation from whom they may borrow the money upon the security of the debentures hereby authorized or to the several respective holders of the said debentures.

9. This By-Law shall, before the final passing thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided for in the Municipal Act, and shall take effect on the day after the final passing thereof.

10. This By-Law shall be cited as the "Sewer Loan By-Law 1913."

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-Law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at the School-house, Oak Bay Avenue, on Saturday, November 15th, 1913, from 9 a. m. to 7 p. m.

F. W. CLAYTON,
C. M. C.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY.

BY-LAW NO. 156.

A BY-LAW

To Raise the Sum of $35,000.00 for Water Works Purposes.

WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay has determined to purchase and lay within the Municipality of the District of Oak Bay water mains for supplying water to the inhabitants of the Municipality of the District of Oak Bay.

AND WHEREAS it is intended to borrow the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars ($35,000.00) for the object of purchasing and laying the water mains hereinbefore mentioned upon the security of the water rates and charges imposed by and enforceable under the provisions of the "Water Charges By-Law, 1910," passed by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay, and which was finally passed on the 17th day of January, 1910, under the powers contained in the Municipal Clauses Act and upon the security of the water rates and charges imposed by and enforceable under the provisions of "The Water Frontage Rate By-Law, 1912," passed by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay, under the powers contained in the Oak Bay Act, 1910.

AND WHEREAS the estimated amount of water rates and charges chargeable under the said Water Charges By-Law, 1910, and the Water Frontage Rates By-Law, 1912, for the year 1913 is eight thousand six hundred and thirty-eight dollars and twenty-eight cents ($8,638.28).

AND WHEREAS the amount of money already charged upon the said water rates and charges is eleven thousand seven hundred and eighteen dollars and thirty cents ($11,718.30).

AND WHEREAS the said debt is created on the security of the said water rates and charges imposed by and enforceable under the said Water Charges By-Law, 1910, and the Water Frontage Rate By-Law, 1912.

AND WHEREAS the Corporation intends to guarantee the payment of moneys to be borrowed under the authority of this By-Law, and the interest thereon as additional security for the payment of same.

AND WHEREAS the estimated deficiency in the said water rates and charges chargeable under the said Water Charges By-Law, 1910, and the Water Frontage Rate, 1912, required to make up the amount of the annual interest and sinking fund upon the proposed debt of thirty-five thousand dollars ($35,000.00) is three thousand and eighty dollars and two cents ($3,080.02).

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole ratable land and improvements or real property of the Municipality of the District of Oak Bay, according to the last revised Assessment Roll, namely, the roll for the year 1913, is the sum of seven million eight hundred and seventy-one thousand one hundred and seventy dollars ($7,871,170.00).

AND WHEREAS this By-Law shall not be altered or repealed except with the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Reeve of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay to borrow on the security of the water rates and charges enforceable under the provisions of the said "Water Charges By-Law, 1910," and "The Water Frontage Rate By-Law, 1912," and upon the credit and the guarantee of the Corporation at large, by way of the Debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons, or body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum not exceeding in the whole the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars ($35,000.00) currency or sterling money, at the rate of four dollars and eighty-six and two-third cents ($4.86 2-3) to the one pound (£1) sterling, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the Corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Reeve to cause any number of the Debentures to be made, executed and issued for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars ($35,000.00), either in currency or sterling money at the rate aforesaid, each of the said Debentures being of the amount of five hundred dollars ($500.00) or its sterling equivalent at the rate aforesaid, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the Seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Reeve thereof. It shall be lawful for the said Reeve in his discretion to alternately cause each of the said Debentures to be made, executed and issued for an amount of one hundred pounds sterling (£100), and one, if necessary, for a less sum in sterling money to complete the authorized issue.

3. The said Debentures shall bear date of the 30th day of November, 1913, and shall be made payable in thirty (30) years from the said date at any of the following places, namely: At the Bank of British North America in the City of Victoria, at the Bank of British North America in the City of Toronto, at the Bank of British North America in the City of Montreal, or at the Bank of British North America in the City of New York, in the United States of America, or at the Bank of British North America in London, England, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest and the signatures to the interest coupons may be either written, stamped, printed or lithographed.

4. The said Debentures shall bear interest at the rate of six per centum per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at such of the places mentioned in paragraph 3 hereof as may be expressed in the debentures or coupons.

5. It shall be lawful for the Reeve of the said Corporation to dispose of the said debentures at a rate below par, and to authorize the Treasurer of the Corporation to pay out of the sums so raised by the sale of the said debentures, all expenses connected with the preparation and engraving or lithographing of the debentures and coupons, or any discount or commission or other charges incidental to the sale of the said debentures.

6. For the purpose of the payment of the interest on the said Debentures during their currency, there shall be set aside annually the sum of twenty-one hundred dollars, and for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for the payment off of the debt at maturity there shall be set aside annually the sum of seven hundred and thirty-five dollars and sixty-seven cents ($735.67).

7. The said sum of twenty-one hundred dollars necessary for the payment of the interest annually on the said Debentures, and the said sum of seven hundred and thirty-five dollars and sixty-seven cents ($735.67) necessary to be set aside annually for the purpose of creating the sinking fund aforesaid, shall be set aside annually out of the water rates and charges enforceable under the provisions of the said Water Charges By-Law, 1910, and the Water Frontage Rate By-Law, 1912, and in the event of there being any deficiency in the amount realized from the said water rates and charges (after the payment of the amount of money already charged upon the same) in order to make up the amount of the annual interest and sinking fund upon the said debt, such deficiency shall be ascertained and paid out of the annual general revenue of the Corporation.

8. That the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay do guarantee the payment of the principal moneys and interest thereon to be raised under the authority of this By-Law, and so as in no way to interfere with or prejudice the setting aside annually of the sums hereinbefore mentioned out of the water rates and charges enforceable under the said Water Charges By-Law, 1910, and the Water Frontage Rate By-Law, 1912, will, in case a sum sufficient to provide for the said interest and sinking fund is not realized in each year out of the said water rates and charges after the payment of the sum of money already charged upon the same, pay such deficit (if any) out of the current year's revenue of the Corporation to any person or corporation from whom they may borrow the money upon the security of the debentures hereby authorised, or to the several respective holders of the said debentures.

9. This By-Law shall, before the final passing thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided for in the "Municipal Act," and shall take effect on the day after the final passing thereof.

10. This By-Law may be cited as the "Waterworks Loan By-Law, 1913."

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F. W. CLAYTON,
C. M. C.

CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS, 1914.

VOTERS' LIST.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with the provisions of Section 12, Municipal Elections Act, 1911, and the Amending Acts of 1912 and 1913, the following procedures are necessary for those persons, who are not Registered Owners of property within the limits of the Municipality and are desirous of having their names placed upon the Voters' List.

PROPERTY OWNER (not Registered Owner) who has made a statutory declaration stating that he or she is the holder of the last agreement to purchase, or the last assignee of such agreement, by which he or she is liable to pay the taxes, and has PAID THE CURRENT YEAR'S TAXES, and is a British subject.

HOUSEHOLDER shall extend to and include ANY PERSON OF THE FULL AGE OF TWENTY-ONE YEARS, who occupies a dwelling-house, tenement, hotel or boarding-house, or any portion of a dwelling-house, tenement, hotel or boarding-house, WHO HAS BEEN A RESIDENT IN THE MUNICIPALITY FROM THE FIRST DAY OF JANUARY OF THE CURRENT YEAR, and who shall, unless exempted by the provisions of the proviso at the end of sub-section (158) of section 53 of the "Municipal Act," have paid directly to the Municipality all rates, taxes or assessments which are not chargeable on land, which rates, taxes or assessments so paid shall amount to NOT LESS THAN TWO DOLLARS, due to the Municipality for the current year, other than water rates or taxes, or license fees for dogs.

Provided, that no person shall be entitled to vote under a householder's qualification, nor shall his or her name be included in the annual voters' list of the Municipality, unless he or she shall, ON OR BEFORE THE FIRST DAY OF DECEMBER IN EACH YEAR, ENTER WITH THE ASSESSOR OR CLERK OF THE MUNICIPALITY HIS OR HER NAME AS A VOTER AND SHALL MAKE AND CAUSE TO BE DELIVERED TO THE SAID ASSESSOR OR CLERK AT THE SAME TIME A STATUTORY DECLARATION made and subscribed before a Supreme or County Court Judge, Stipendiary or Police Magistrate, Justice of the Peace or Notary Public, or Clerk of the Municipality, and such Clerk is hereby authorized to take such declaration in form and to the effect of Form 4 in the Schedule of the "Municipal Elections Act."

LICENSE HOLDER, who carries on business and is the holder of a trade license issued by the Municipality, the annual fee for which is not less than FIVE DOLLARS, and who has made a statutory declaration in form and to the effect of Form 3 in the Schedule of the "Municipal Elections Act."

No person who is not a British subject shall have his name placed upon any municipal list of voters.

The official tax receipt must be produced by every person making or filing any such declaration.

Forms of Declaration may be obtained and the necessary declaration made at the office of the Clerk, Municipal Hall.

A. B. ELLIS,
C. M. C.

Beaumont, B. C., November 1, 1913.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY.

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LICENSE HOLDER, who carries on business and is the holder of a trade license issued by the Municipality, the annual fee for which is not less than FIVE DOLLARS, and who has made a statutory declaration in form and to the effect of Form 3 in the Schedule of the "Municipal Elections Act."

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F. W. CLAYTON,
C. M. C.

Oak Bay, B. C., November 1, 1913.

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Mayoralty

At the request of a large number of citizens I have consented to be a candidate for the position of Mayor at the forthcoming Municipal Election.

Yours respectfully,

ALEX. STEWART.

Mayoralty Contest

A meeting of supporters of

ALEX. STEWART

Candidate for Mayor, will be held Tuesday, Nov. 11, at 8 p.m., at the corner of Yates and Government streets, over Salmon's old stand, for organization purposes.

ROBERT MORRISON,
Secretary.

OAK BAY VOTES SATURDAY

Two By-Laws to Complete Sewer and Water Schemes go Before Ratepayers.

Oak Bay ratepayers will be called upon Saturday to vote upon two money by-laws, one to raise $150,000 for sewer purposes and the other to raise $35,000 for laying water mains. With the expenditure of these sums Oak Bay will occupy the unique position among the municipalities of this province of having complete sewer and water systems for all subdivided property within the corporation limits.

Announcement was made by the works committee last evening that arrangements have been made with the Merchants' Bank to finance the municipality temporarily so that all works can be kept going and no more men be laid off.

The unwillingness of the city of Victoria to pay the municipality's claim for $2,000 for work done on the trunk sewer from Fowl Bay road to Bold Point was discussed by the council and the whole matter referred to committee and the legal adviser.

For the election Saturday James Fairweather was appointed returning officer.

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SUGGESTS AMBULANCE PRESENT ONE UNSAFE

Medical Officer of Health Urges Provision for Transporting Contagious Cases

The city council, in adopting the report of the medical officer of health last evening, referred to the favorable consideration of the finance committee the suggestion to provide a motor ambulance for the Isolation hospital.

Dr. Hall reported in part:

"With the exception of a few cases of diphtheria, which commenced outside of the city, there have not been any contagious diseases during the month. There were 6 cases in all, two from outside the city, and from the outskirts four. I regret to say that one case died, the disease having advanced too far before treatment was administered. I regret the council could not see its way clear to have printed bulletins as I suggested, which would have disseminated information, and put people on their guard concerning many of the ailments to which the human race is subject. The above instance is one where a life might have been saved if the parents had some knowledge of the nature of diphtheria and its dangerous consequences.

"There have not been any cases of scarlet fever reported since September 3 until the end of October; this I think is a record, it being approximately two months without a single case, especially when we consider that according to statistics the month of October records the greatest mortality in this disease.

"There were 31 indigent patients treated at the Jubilee hospital, with a total of 496 days.

"The number of deaths recorded during the month was 44."

The doctor referred to the steps taken to check the introduction of bubonic plague, to which reference has already been made in the Times.

With regard to the present ambulance, he declared it was not safe, and there was a liability of an accident. The cost of a new one should be provided from the surplus for the Isolation hospital.

SURPLUS REALIZED.

B. C. Agricultural Association Makes Over $7,381 in Administering Recent Fair; Directors Thanked.

The satisfactory balance sheet of the B. C. Agricultural Association, showing a profit of $7,381, was presented to the city council last evening.

Alderman Porter moved the adoption of the report, and pointed out that the profit of $7,381 was excellent, in spite of the fact that $3,000 additional in prizes had been expended. It had been a financial success in spite of exceptional difficulties this year.

Alderman Cuthbert pointed out that the work had again proved the advantages of small committees. It should be borne in mind, he said, that the association had spent $16,000 in permanent improvements as well.

When a motion was being carried through that the directors of the association should be thanked, the mayor declared that it must be understood the association was not a self-supporting body yet, there being contributions from the government and city council for various reasons. He hoped to see the association on a really good basis, paying its way properly.

Alderman Porter declared the mayor was only too willing to knock the exhibition. This was repudiated by the mayor.

The resolution thanking the directors carried.

REPORTS AGAINST THE GRAFF COMPANY

Water Commissioner Advises Council to Award Flowline Contract to Pacific Co.

Reporting on the tenders of the Graff Construction Company for the Sooke concrete flow line, Water Commissioner Rust informed the city council last evening that he was still of the opinion that the city's interests would best be served by awarding the contract to the Pacific Lock Joint Pipe Company for the sum of $329,750.

"If, however, your council decide to award the contract to the Graff Construction Company," he stated, "their tender for transporting the pipe is, I consider, excessive, and should not be accepted. Their price of 38 cents per foot amounts to nearly $55,000 additional cost to the city. I do not consider the cost of transporting this pipe should exceed at the outside $25,000.

"The Graff Construction Company also state they are prepared to do this work for a straight figure of 38 cents per lineal foot, or on an allowance of 15 per cent. over actual cost. The Pacific Lock Joint Pipe Company's offer was 10 per cent., which, I think, is ample.

"I would, therefore, recommend, if your council decide to award the contract to the Graff Construction Company, that unless they are prepared to do this work at a straight offer of 25 cents per foot, or an allowance of 10 per cent. over actual cost, that the work of transporting the pipe be carried out by the department by day labor."

The water commissioner also recommended that in view of the fact that the council has determined that no contracts shall be signed until the money for them is available, the contractor should also be requested to agree not to hold the city liable for any delay that may be caused by the city in connection with the financial arrangements.

Attached was a lengthy communication from the Graff Construction Company setting out categorical answers to the commissioner's questions. The officials expressed the desire to employ local men, and made certain suggestions about the financing of the work.

The council decided to meet after Consulting Engineer Meredith arrives next week, Alderman McNeill suggesting a private session. Although he was supported by several aldermen, the question was not decided, being left over for decision at the meeting itself.

Umm-m! It's Good.—He must have a poor appreciation of beer who fails to respond to the appeal of genuine, imported Pilsener "Hofbrau." "The Kaiserhof."

Finch & Finch, Yates Street, Victoria, B. C.

LOOK OVER THIS

Advance Announcement

Look Forward to Thursday Next

A TREMENDOUS SALE

Is being prepared for next Thursday morning, commencing at 10.30. We are making it worth while to secure your attendance; never before in our history have prices been so ridiculously low, as will obtain on the morning of Thursday next.

It's a Genuine Sale of Ladies' Suits and Coats

We positively will not sell any of these garments at sale prices before 10.30 on Thursday morning. There will be a display representative of the stock in our Yates street windows on Wednesday morning, priced at astonishing figures.

Each Garment Is Exclusive and Perfectly Tailored

And we have no hesitancy in suggesting that you will be well advised to attend this practically giving-away of the highest grade stock at prices much less than ordinary sale prices.

THERE WILL BE HUNDREDS TO CHOOSE FROM

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Of the very finest New York Man-Tailored Navy Blue Suits. The serge is of a fine coating weave, shrunk and unspotable. Coats lined with good quality satin, new cutaway style; some, belt at back—a most remarkably high-grade Suit, at the absurd price of **$12.50**

Price cut from $35.00. On sale Thursday next at 10.30 a.m.

Another Line of 75

Superbly Tailored Suits, in fine, fancy mixed tweeds, diagonal serges, Bedford cords, in plain, also novelty styles—New York models every one, and of the very latest style—offered at **$15.00**

Price cut from $37.50. On sale Thursday morning at 10.30.

Fifty Model Suits

Of extraordinary value, built on most perfect lines, and to satisfy the most exacting. Fancy mixed tweeds, boucles, diagonals in two-tone effects, in the loveliest combinations, black and white diagonals and fancy cords. This season's success. Can nowhere else be seen under $45.00. Price cut to **$22.50**

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Another Model Line

Consisting of 69 of the "Pick-of-the-Season," carefully-selected models in tweeds, fancy mixed fabrics, boucles, Bedford cords, corduroys—in fact, the most tempting line ever produced; all novelty styles, **$37.50**

Price cut from $50.00. On sale Thursday morning at 10.30.

Coats Bought to Sell at $22.50

The quality offered in these Coats is far and away the best that can be procured at the special sale price. All-wool chinchillas, heavy chevron weaves, plain and reversible blanket cloths, substantial diagonals; various shaped collars, plain, also large-belt style, velvet and own material used to trim; in greys, browns, tans, greens and fancy mixtures; **$10.90**

Cut from $22.50. On sale Thursday morning at 10.30.

Another Line of Coats Cut to $15

Heavy Three-Quarter and Seven-Eighth Length Rinking Coats, in Scotch and Irish tweeds in novelty colorings; plain, Vandyke and striped. Wide-belt style—an unusual offer; goods just to hand—$20.00 and $25.00 values. Sale price **$15.00**

On sale next Thursday morning at 10.30.

The Remaining Stock

Of Coats, prices ranging from $25.00 to $75.00, will be sold less twenty per cent, including novelty tweeds, plain and reversible blanket cloths, all-wool chinchillas; Burberry style tweed Coats (rainproofed); Motor Coats, with detachable leather linings, novelty Traveling Coats, latest styles in Velvet Coats, gorgeous Opera Coats and Wraps, Black Silk Poplin, Ondine and Silk Bedford Cord Coats. 20 per cent allowed off these higher-priced goods.

Prices vary from $25 to $75. On sale Thursday morning at 10.30.

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